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MONGOLIA TO SECEDE

China Gets Control of Province.

Trouble With Japan to Determine Sphere of Influence.

Yuan to Resign and Republic Is Now All But Assured.

Manchus Proceeds, Regardless of Peking, to Wrest Power from Manchus.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEKING, Dec. 28. (3:25 a.m.)—Mongolia, which almost equals China proper in size, will be proclaimed independent tomorrow simultaneously with the cutting off from China's last dependency of Turkestan.

Advices received from under Russian influence state that Mongolia will practically become a Russian protectorate.

The Hutuktu of Urga will be able to exercise only temporal power.

The Hutuktu of Urga will be named as Emperor of Mongolia.

Russia's protection of the trans-Mongolian railway, for which Russia has secured permission from China, is a matter of time. Europe is coming nearer to Peking by leaps and bounds.

Russia's influence perilously will threaten Japanese sphere in Manchuria. Japanese alliance for the purpose of preserving Japanese interests sooner or later may be extended.

Chinese officers and officials, if not driven out, will be massacred.

Russia and Mongolia.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHANGHAI, Dec. 28.—It is reported that the Russian government proper, have influenced this action in Mongolia.

TO ELECT DR. SEN FIRST PRESIDENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHANGHAI, Dec. 27.—It is reported that the delegates of the eighteen provinces of China proper intend to meet at Nanking on December 28 to elect Dr. Sun Yat Sen President of the provisional government of the united provinces.

An informal meeting between Wu Ting-Fang and Tang Shao Yi, the leaders of the revolutionaries and imperialists at the peace conference, took place today, when Yuan Shi Kai's proposal to submit the future form of government of China to a special national assembly was considered. There is reason to believe that, while in principle the revolutionaries agree to this proposal, they are not ready to consent to the delay Yuan Shi Kai urges because they fear the imperialists will take the opportunity to strengthen their forces and finances.

The arrival of Dr. Sen has injected an entirely new and forceful element into the ranks and councils of the revolutionists. There is every evidence Dr. Sen is receiving more consideration than other leaders of the revolutionists here. His residence is crowded from morning till evening with representatives of all the provinces, generals and governors with whom he has continual consultation. Delegates from the provinces of China proper, who have been attending the Nanking convention, came in a body to Shanghai, where they met Dr. Sen, later returning to Nanking. There is reason to believe they will meet on December 28 and elect Dr. Sen president of the provisional government of the united provinces of China proper by a unanimous vote of the delegates of the eighteen provinces. After that has been done, the revolutionists plan the selection of a Cabinet by the President, who will issue a proclamation setting forth the terms offered by the revolutionists to the Manchus and the Imperial court in event of their peaceful surrender. Should this not occur, the campaign against the Manchus and the imperialists will continue and Peking will be taken.

Dr. Sen evidently does not regard the peace conference here seriously and will proceed with his plans without regard to Peking. No decision has been reached as to whether the armistice is to be continued.

Yuan Shi Kai's proposal to decide the form of government which shall

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Flashes and Kernels.

News in The Times This Morning

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Beach yesterday and caused a reign of terror for a time until the animal was finally killed with a club in the hands of a member of the pursuing mob.

Jay P. Graves, a man of affairs of Spokane and the Northwest, criticised the Sherman act at Pasadena yesterday, saying the nation "went crazy" during the Roosevelt administration.

The son of a prominent San Bernardino hotel keeper and a Salt Lake school teacher eloped to Los Angeles yesterday and were wedded.

The backbone of the cold snap in the citrus belt was broken last night, according to reports from the valley, but the temperature was higher than that near Los Angeles.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Heavy rains with snow in the up regions were reported yesterday from Northern California.

Seattle agent of the McNamaras' union yesterday received a subpoena to testify in Los Angeles.

Stepmother of the Rumball girl alleged to have been murdered testified yesterday at the trial in Oroville.

Tacoma official yesterday named five Home Colonists who he said would be called to testify before the Federal grand jury in Los Angeles.

A new bill was filed yesterday in Portland in the Wilde case.

The California teachers were banqueted in groups at Stockton last night, following a day of many busy sessions, at the annual meeting of the State Association.

Mayor of Aberdeen, Wash., yesterday announced that he had 1500 police to prevent a threatened invasion of the I.W.W.

Police of Oakland said yesterday a charge of murder would be placed against a woman from Auburn for the alleged killing of her child.

A San Francisco attorney yesterday notified the Governor of California that he will call on him to testify about the disappearance of a lot of securities after the failure of the California Safety Deposit and Trust Company.

A Sacramento dispatch last night gave the status of the constitutional amendments since the Legislature has acted on them.

GENERAL EASTERN. Chicago police yesterday reported that fourteen union men were responsible for attempts to wreck Illinois Central trains.

Chicago divine said yesterday he wanted to drive out the Ann cult because it wrecks the power of the church.

Secrets of the alleged beef packing combination dealing with an unsuccessful attempt to form a billion dollar merger were brought out yesterday in Chicago at the trial of the ten indicted packers.

Bridges confessed yesterday a plot to dynamite the steel plants in Monessen, Pa.

A conspiracy to dynamite a contractor's supply firm in Monessen was discovered yesterday.

A verdict of not guilty was returned in New York yesterday in the case against the proprietors of the Triangle Shirt Waist Company, charged with manslaughter in connection with the holocaust last March, when 147 lives were lost.

A high flier who is not an aviator was pinched in New York yesterday on the charge of beggaring a countess.

Col. Roosevelt yesterday declared emphatically that he would not attend the peace dinner in New York Saturday night.

Rich Illinois lumberman was convicted in St. Louis yesterday of eavesdropping at the door of the Mound City's wealthiest woman.

WASHINGTON. Two new treaties will be negotiated with Russia, it was announced yesterday in Washington.

Senator Works yesterday proposed a rider to the Sherwood bill to prevent special pension legislation.

FOREIGN. Fighting was resumed between the Russians and Persians at Tabriz yesterday, and the Russian forces sustained a loss of 150 men. Great Britain may be injured into the situation as a result of attack on a British consular guard by Persians.

That Mongolia will tomorrow proclaim herself free and independent of China was vouchsafed by a Peking dispatch received last night.

FINANCIAL. Reports of black rust in Argentina gave sudden strength to the wheat market in Chicago.

The price levels for most of the standard stocks were barely disturbed during yesterday's trading on the New York Stock Exchange.

Matter received after 8 a.m. appears in the Second Edition. (See Page 15.)

Sanguinary.

BATTLE IN PROGRESS.

Fighting Is Resumed at Tabriz.

Army of Czar Sustains Loss of Hundred and Fifty of Its Men.

Great Britain May be Injected as Result of Attack on Guard.

Russia Instructs Commanders to Adopt Harsh Rule in Persia.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TEHERAN, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fighting was resumed at Tabriz today. The Russian reinforcements, consisting of one regiment of infantry, 100 cavalry and several guns, have arrived and more are following.

All the consulates are safe except the Russian, where five soldiers were killed and four wounded. The total Russian losses were 150

The Russians are now exterminating the Armenian volunteers.

BRITISH RESPONSIBLE.

All the provinces protest against the illegal action of the Cabinet and the regent, who, by the fundamental law of the Constitution, do not possess the power to dissolve the Mejliss.

Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Secretary, is again responsible for Persia's acceptance of the ultimatum. Precisely as in the previous ultimatum, Russia now disavows her assurances.

A British expedition from India to occupy Shiraz is contemplated as a result of the attack on the consular guard near Kazeroon, in which the British Consul, W. A. Smart, was wounded. It was at first reported that he had been killed.

SEVERITY ORDERED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—A semi-official statement issued this evening says the Russian government, in view of "acts of foolhardy aggression committed against the Russian forces and institutions in Tabriz, Resht and Enzeli, sometimes followed by brutal torture of the wounded and base outrages against the dead," has decided that the severest punishment of the guilty is merited and Russian commanders, in conjunction with Russian Consuls, are instructed to adopt the most stringent measures.

These measures, as set forth in the statement, include the arrest and trial by court-martial of all participants in the attacks, the disarmament of the Fidais and other troublesome elements, destruction of places at which resistance might be offered, and whatever else is deemed necessary to re-establish order and to secure the chastisement of the offenders."

ENGLISH AROUSED BY STORIES OF CRUELTY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Russian government has decided upon stern measures to suppress disorders at Tabriz and other disturbed Persian towns. The destruction of the telegraph lines makes it impossible to get a reliable narrative of the outbreaks, yet it cannot be doubted that a situation of the gravest complexity has arisen.

As reports of Russian progress in Persia and stories of the indiscriminate killing of natives in Tabris and Resht and of the destruction of Persia's constitutional government under Russian menaces continue to reach England, the people are becoming increasingly disquieted at the British government's complicity, which the Foreign Secretary, Sir Edward Grey, thinks is a matter of policy, and compelled by the Anglo-Russian agreement.

Doubts also have been increased as to whether Persian independence ever will be restored to even the feeble status it had before this last assault by Russia. If Parliament were sitting, undoubtedly, there would be severe questioning of the government on this subject and an arraignment of the Foreign Office.

The Times is the only newspaper that strongly supports the government, and it expresses considerable uneasiness over Russia's intentions, as hinted in St. Petersburg reports. The Manchester Guardian, the ablest and most influential provincial Liberal paper, deplores British responsibility and questions whether the government could not have taken some stand earlier, but fears that it is now too late. In short, the whole affair is repugnant to Liberal sentiment.

SEVERE INDICTMENT.

The Persian Committee, composed of prominent Englishmen interested in Persian affairs, has received the following telegram from the provincial Assembly at Tabriz, sent through the Persian Society of Constantinople:

"On December 21 Russian troops attacked and seized the administration buildings. They trampled school children under foot, killed and de-

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Church People of Chicago Pray for Mayor's Soul.

Carter H. Harrison,

Mayor of Chicago, whose refusal to put lid on city New Year's Eve, which comes on Sunday night this year, has stirred many citizens to protest. Prayer meetings last night throughout the city were devoted to appeals to heaven to change the Mayor's mind and save his soul.

Results Awaited.

MANY JOIN IN PRAYER FOR CARTER HARRISON'S SOUL.

Church People of Chicago, Incensed at Mayor's Refusal to Curb New Year's Eve Orgies Gather to Protest to Heaven—Agitation Will be Continued and May Enter Politics.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prayers for Mayor Harrison's soul and the honor of Chicago were offered at the mid-week prayer meetings in dozens of churches throughout Chicago tonight.

The Mayor's announced determination to permit the frightful New Year's eve orgies to go on unchecked on Sunday evening and during the forbidden hours of the following morning was the cause.

A storm of protest against the annual bacchanalian orgy, which has been raging for several days, gathered increased force as church after church and one religious organization after another took it up. The agitation promises to continue without abatement until more stringent rules regarding the celebration have been put in force, or, if this is not done, it may be carried into the political campaigns of next and succeeding years. Already a movement is on foot to unite all the forces working against the lawlessness at the polls.

Last year Mayor Busse and his Chief of Police made an earnest effort to regulate the annual scandal and succeeded in restraining the hoodlumism in the streets. In the hotels and cafes, however, shocking scenes were enacted, drunken women and girls, their garments torn and drenched with wine, carried out like baggage by waiters and many of them turned out to become the prey of the hundreds of thieves and worse who find the New Year's revel highly profitable.

Owing to the fact that Chicago is now headquarters for all criminal classes, with practically no restraint whatever, upon them, it is feared the orgy this year will be something which Chicago will forever regret.

The Mayor looked over the hundreds of petitions and resolutions today.

"I have received a number of such communications," he said, "but I do not intend to change my ruling as to the New Year's eve closing hour."

Going Down.

MERCURY IS BELOW ZERO IN NORTHWESTERN STATES

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With zero weather in the upper northwest States and the Canadian provinces, accompanied by heavy snows, unusual fluctuations of temperature on the Pacific Coast and far southwestern points a-shiver, is an epitome of conditions that bring the mercury far below the freezing point. The middle Mississippi Valley is being swept by a biting wind and stinging crystals of snow. Nashville is just coming out of a four-inch rain to be touched with a "cold wave" in a meteorological menu that today covered a wide range.

TWENTY-SIX BELOW.

Minnedosa, Man., wit hthe mercury 26 degrees below zero, was the coldest place. Away down in El Paso, Tex., it was 20 above zero.

Chicago was swept by a cold wind which came from the northwest and attained a maximum velocity of thirty-six miles an hour. Thermometers recorded around 22 above this morning. Needles are dropping steadily tonight in the wake of the wind and by morning it is expected the prevailing temperature will be about 10 degrees above.

The storm from the northwest is now moving in a northeasterly direction over Ontario, so that the central parts of Ohio and the Middle Atlantic Coast are not likely to suffer greatly.

In Upper and Central Wisconsin the snowstorm grew to the severity of a blizzard, causing much suffering to both man and beast. La Crosse reports a snow eighteen inches in depth. Street car traffic was possible only after a continual use of snow plows all night and morning. Trains from the northwest were delayed from one to four hours.

RAPID DROP.

In the Valley of the Missouri the temperature dropped 15 to 20 degrees in a few hours, and there was a fall of 10 degrees at points farther south. The low point reached at North Platte, Neb., was 6 below. Des Moines had a similar mark, while at Kansas City the low point was 12 above.

Oklahoma City reported 18 above, while Amarillo, Tex., for some reason seems to have been colder than Kansas City by 6 degrees.

The rain in Nashville was the heaviest on record there in the month of December. Flood waters did considerable damage.

On the Pacific Coast heavy rains were reported.

Here are the temperatures at some widely separated points:

Duluth, 6 below; St. Paul, 2 below; Pueblo, Colo., 16 below; Winnipeg, 16 below; Jacksonville, Fla., 66 to 68 above; New Orleans, 44 to 50; Tampa, 68 to 74; Cincinnati, 32; New York, 38.

Fair weather over the Northwest and the Mississippi Valley is the forecast for tomorrow.

DELLA FOX'S CONDITION.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The condition of Della Fox, the comedienne and singer, who was operated on for appendicitis last Saturday, continues extremely critical today. Peritonitis developed after the operation.

MME. MAETERLINCK HERE.

Denies That Her Husband Made a Wager He Could Get in Without Being Interviewed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the persons of Mme. Maeterlinck, wife of the poet; Messrs. Marcoux and Clark, baritones, and Messrs. Lhevinne and Backhaus, pianists, the art of music was well represented tonight on board the Olympic of the White Star line, when she arrived at the pier in this city from Southampton after the roughest voyage that has fallen to her lot since she was launched.

Mme. Maeterlinck, known to the operatic world as Georgette Le Blanc, comes to this country to appear in her husband's drama of "Pelleas et Melisande," which will be produced both as an opera and a play in Boston next week. She will remain in this country only two weeks and will then rejoin her husband, who is living in Paris.

Maeterlinck himself was expected to arrive in this country today, but there was no sign of him on board the Olympic. Mme. Maeterlinck denied that he had made a wager that he could come to America without being recognized and interviewed.

COYOTES TOO FOXY.

They Let Vancouver Farmer Try His Infernal Machine on His Neighbor's Dogs First.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Annoyed by the yelping of coyotes and their predatory trips to his hen coop, William Bates, former telegraph dispatcher in St. Paul, now fruit ranching in Vancouver, Wash., with electricity and wireless telegraphy as hobbies, undertook to annihilate the pests in a scientific way. He heavily charged an old stump with blasting powder, dragged a dead horse close up, connected the charge with a battery in a clump of bushes and at night lay down to await the coyotes.

Three animals came up and began gnawing at the carcass. The button was pressed and a terrific explosion followed.

The following day Bates's neighbors missed their dogs, one of which was a valuable collie. A dog collar, picked up near where the explosion occurred, was conclusive evidence that, instead of coyotes, dogs had been blown up.

Since then, however, Bates has killed many coyotes.

FAREWELL TO THE POPE.

Holy Father Grants an Audience to Farley and All the Requests That the Cardinal Made.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Dec. 27.—Cardinal John M. Farley was today again the recipient of many warm messages and beautiful flowers on the occasion of his name day.

The cardinal drove to the Vatican for his farewell audience with the Pope and was received with great honors.

The Pontiff met him at the door of his private library and remained in conversation with him for more than half an hour, during which he granted all the requests Cardinal Farley made, including honors for the clergy and laity of New York, which Cardinal Farley wished personally to announce on his return to America.

FIND TREASURE WITH CHART.

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Guided by an ancient chart found in the ruins of a Spanish shellhouse on Fort George Island, two boys of this city say they unearthed treasure worth about $150,000. They say gold, silver and copper coins were found in a strong box. Those who have seen the coins say they are more than a century old.

Telling.

CONFESSION OF BRIDGES

Tells of a Plot of Dynamiters.

Caught With an Outfit of Destruction, He Implicates Other Men.

To Blow Up Great Steel Mills of Monessen Object of Conspiracy.

Intent to Annihilate Plant of Contractors' Supply Firm Revealed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MONESSEN (Pa.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That they have uprooted further dynamiting plots was the belief expressed today by the police here following a partial confession made by George Bridges, the alleged dynamiter, who was arrested Monday midnight with a suit case containing seventy-two sticks of dynamite and fuses.

"I'm going to clear myself of this mess," said the prisoner today. "I will not take all the blame for this. The rest of them will have to take their medicine. What there is to tell I will tell when the time comes."

A FULL CONFESSION.

Burns's detectives and the police of this entire section regard the statement made by Bridges, who was arrested late Monday night, equivalent to a full confession that the plot existed to blow up the plants of the Pittsburgh Steel Company and other concerns here employing upwards of 8000 non-union workmen.

The brief statement made today by the prisoner caused a sensation. There had been a suspicion that perhaps after all Bridges had directed suspicion against himself and deliberately caused his own arrest, later to completely prove his innocence and thereby dissipate certain labor sentiment that was the outcome of the McNamara crimes.

The authorities, however, submitted the prisoner to a rigorous third degree ordeal, nearly all of last night. Bridges told all about himself, his family and past occupations, but not until this afternoon did he wearily give up the game he had played and promise to make a full confession. His hearing before Justice Shuster has been postponed until tomorrow.

ANOTHER PLOT.

The arrest and partial confession of Bridges was followed today by the discovery of an attempt to blow up the plants of McDonald and Hartman, contractors' supply dealers in Rochester, Pa. News of this plot reached here this afternoon and authorities of both places together with Burns's operatives and the police of Pittsburgh are trying to connect the two gangs.

Twenty-four sticks of dynamite, twelve caps wrapped in cotton and twelve yards of fuse were found alongside the plant.

Around the vicinity of Rochester many crimes were committed that later were traced to the McNamaras and Ortie McManigal.

John Bridges, a brother of the prisoner, said today that in his belief George had done no wrong, but had been used as a tool for others. The brother, John, formerly was employed here as a bartender. The prisoner lived in Homestead for several years. He is married and has a child, but says he knows nothing of their whereabouts.

ANOTHER PLOT OF THE DYNAMITERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROCHESTER (Pa.) Dec. 27.—Twenty-four sticks of dynamite, 12 caps wrapped in cotton and 12 yards of fuse, securely packed in a case evidently made for the purpose, and resembling an ordinary traveling bag, were found in the barns of McDonald & Hartman, dealers in contractors' supplies, today, by Albert Wilhelm, a clerk in the firm's employ.

The find was turned over to the police, who learned that the case also contained a long paper knife, bearing the name of a Philadelphia company. The police recognized the bag as one they had seen in the hands of a stranger several days ago.

Since the finding of a quantity of explosive near the end of the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad bridge across the Ohio River from here, several months ago, said to have been planted there by agents of the McNamaras, the police have been active, and the bridge has been guarded night and day.

TO CLEAR HIMSELF AIM OF BRIDGES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—"I'm going to clear myself. I will not take all the blame for this, and the rest of them will have to take their medicine along with me," is the utterance today of George Bridges, a stranger arrested at Monessen, Pa., while car-

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Jack Frost Fleeing.

BACK OF COLD WAVE BROKEN.

Fruit Growers Optimistic of Small Damage.

Buyers Take a Chance With the Growing Crop.

Temperature Is Forced Up by Approaching Rain.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Frost conditions tonight continue to keep orange growers in all sections alarmed in the campaign with smudging plants.

The mercury at 10:30 was 30 degrees in the citrus belt, the same point reached at that hour last night. Extreme dropping of the mercury is not anticipated, the backbone of the cold wave being broken.

That buyers are not scared is indicated in the sales made today at Highland, Rialto, Redlands and other points.

Growers tonight declare the frost fell only in streaks, many groves in each section escaping almost entirely, and in some groves a row of trees caught the frost the balance of the grove escaping.

Conflicting reports as to the damage by frost last night in the citrus belt continue to come in from all sections of the citrus belt. The government thermometer here registered 25 degrees as the lowest point reached, while Rialto reports 27 degrees as its low point, and at Highland 29 degrees was reached. That the full extent of the harm done will not be known for possibly ten days is the general opinion.

From a careful review of the reports it is evident that the frost was freakish. At Rialto the W. H. Ham nursery stock came through with not even the tender shoots touched, and the Martin grove nearby, escaped, while the owner of a grove adjoining the Martin place states that his crop is ruined.

"I went through my grove from end to middle, and cut dozens of oranges and found the fruit frozen to the center. I have lost my crop, but not my courage," he said. "Such a blow would not fall in dozens of years, in fact nothing like it has ever been known before, and may never come again."

Other growers in the section state that but the smallest fraction of the crop is injured, and that the saving of the fruit is due to the complete precautions taken by the growers, when the warning was telephoned from this city through Dr. A. K. Johnson, government weather observer.

NOT DESPONDENT.

MONROVIA, Dec. 27.—Low temperatures of the three past nights have rather subdued the normal Christmas ardor of citrus orchardists in the Arcadia-Monrovia-Duarte district, but they are not despondent.

The most trying feature of the situation is the uncertainty as to the actual extent of damage. It is a foregone conclusion that the temperature cannot fall to 29 in the mesa tract and to as low as 22 in the outlying valley tracts without causing serious loss, yet it is apparent this afternoon that the loss is much smaller than was forecasted this morning.

Not even the most experienced grower will hazard an estimate on the proportion of the crop rendered unsalable, holding that at least several days must elapse before warrantable conclusions can be reached.

No parallel conditions are recorded which may be used as a precedent. In past years of very low temperature, the ground has been saturated with rain and the sky overcast. Frost effects were very much more in evidence than now, but the presence of abundant moisture and a heavy cloud blanket preventing radiation were deemed advantageous circumstances.

Ameliorating factors of the present season are brief period of lowest temperature, maturity of fruit insuring oil in the rind, resistant to cold, and energetic combative measures in the sections most endangered.

Unquestionably the heaviest loss falls on the owners of orchards set out in the past three years in the outskirts of the proved citrus area. Smudging and fires were extensively resorted to in this territory and the temperature raised from 4 to 6 degrees. It is believed that few, if any trees were lost.

Excepting for new and tender growth, old groves are not visibly affected. It is generally conceded, however, that abnormal cold spells have a detarrent effect on the crop of the ensuing year.

"FROSTLESS BELT" FROSTED.

REDLANDS, Dec. 27.—Orange growers have had grave faces yesterday and today and the chief topic of conversation is whether or not the citrus crop is frozen. There are as many theories as there are growers and the wisest one is probably the one who says that the damage will only be known when the returns for the fruit are received next summer.

On Monday night the temperature reached 24 here and there is little doubt but what the fruit in the lower sections is frozen. However, some of the fruit which was frozen two years ago, turned out surprisingly well, good prices being received, the fruit apparently having passed the tender stage in which one freeze would spell it.

This year's cold blast comes even a month later and the constant cold of the past six weeks has served to harden the skin, making it less liable to suffer from the freeze. If the fruit hangs on for a couple of weeks, the danger point will be considered past, and if the eastern market is good, it seems likely that the usual good returns will be received. The trees do not seem so badly burned with the frost this season as they did two years ago.

Last night the thermometer reached 31 deg. and though this temperature would do no damage to the oranges, it would continue to nip tender vegetation. There was comparatively little smudging here, although Prof. C. R. Paine kept his firepots going all Monday night, raising the temperature several degrees and thus saving his fruit from freezing, he thinks. The fire pots were quite generally used in Highland, East Highland, and in the Highgrove and Riverside sections, and with good results.

ORANGE COUNTY SAFE.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—County Horticultural Commissioner R. K. Bishop stated today that he had made an examination of a number of orchards yesterday morning and this morning, and he was confident that the oranges of this section have not been injured by frost. He says that all lemons bigger than a hen's egg escaped damage. Nursery stock and young growth on trees were nipped badly here, as elsewhere in Southern California.

The section along the foothills reports that its nursery stock was not hurt. Pickers for Gowen & Willard, packers, state that they cut open dozens of oranges when they went to work yesterday and today, and are confident that the frost was not sufficient to damage the fruit, which is well matured. The degree of maturity enters into the probability of damage.

"We have had a good deal worse frosts and our oranges go to market free from the effects of frost," said Bishop. "I could find no bark broken by the frost of last night or of the night previous, and that is an encouraging sign."

SMALL DAMAGE.

ONTARIO, Dec. 27.—Reports from prominent citrus men in this section state that the frost which visited Southern California the last two mornings did little damage to the fruit in this vicinity.

E. C. Henry, official reporter for the United States government, had government thermometers hung on orange trees in the orchards both nights, with the result that 27 deg. was the lowest mark reached on the first night and the second was several degrees warmer.

Most of the local ranchers have smudged diligently the last two nights, but many growers who did not report damage from the frost extremely slight. In many places heliotrope, nasturtiums and other plants of delicate nature show but little effect of the cold wave.

NORTH DELUGED WITH FIERCE RAIN STORMS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Following the low barometer of yesterday, a rain storm of wide area swept down through the northern and central portions of the State today.

The entire northern half of the State was covered, the storm shading into snow in the mountain foothills, with unusually heavy snowfall in the higher altitudes of the Siskiyous and Sierras.

A slight flurry of snow fell at Mount Tamalpais, in Marion county, late in the afternoon.

According to Alex G. McAdie, chief of the government Weather Bureau here, the storm will not be followed by low temperature and there is little danger of frost.

"Another storm is due after a short interval," said Mr. McAdie, "perhaps within forty-eight hours. The rain was badly needed and the precipitation was sufficient greatly to benefit crops."

At nightfall the rain had reached San Joaquin county in its southward course.

FEW FLAKES OF SNOW FALL IN SACRAMENTO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following a four weeks' spell of cold weather, a heavy rain, wind and snow storm broke throughout Northern California this morning and by noon rain had fallen as far south as Chico in the valley and in the foothills and mountain regions. The ground has been covered to depths ranging from two to twelve inches.

In Siskiyou a particularly high wind accompanied the storm.

In Nevada county the snow falling on water supply ditches already frozen over, makes the water situation critical and a water famine is imminent.

The prolonged cold weather has made the water supply short and now there will be no means of improving the situation until there is a warm rain and a thaw.

In Sacramento a few flakes of snow fell, but not enough to cause any comment. Indications here point to a continued stormy period throughout Northern California.

Steady Pour in Stockton.

STOCKTON, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire:] Rain, which the farmers of this county have needed badly for more than a month came this afternoon. It began falling at 1 o'clock and at 7:30 o'clock there was a steady downpour. Reports from different sections indicate that the showers are general throughout the county. There are prospects of a prolonged storm.

Snow Followed by Sleet.

REDDING, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Snow fell throughout Shasta, Siskiyou and Trinity counties last night and today. This evening there were six inches of snow. The snow storm was followed by sleet. On the Shasta divide between this county and Trinity, more than a foot of snow fell today, and it is snowing heavily. If the fall of snow continues stages will have difficulty in making their trips.

Snow Heavy in Mountains.

GRASS VALLEY, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] A severe snowstorm, something water officials and miners have feared since the shortage of water was first noticed, commenced this morning and continued almost uninterruptedly during the day. In the mountains the snow fell heavily and the ditches will be filled if the storm continues.

Colfax is Snow-Clad.

COLFAX, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Snow covers the ground to a depth of several inches in this city today. Reports from higher in the mountains say a severe storm is raging and that the snow is piling up rapidly.

Six Inches in Auburn.

AUBURN, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] About six inches of snow fell in this city today. The storm is general throughout the county. Snow fell as low as Newcastle.

Two Feet Deep in Weaverville.

WEAVERVILLE, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Two feet of snow has fallen in Weaverville. In other parts of the county it is much deeper, according to the elevation. The snow continues to fall.

High Wind With Snow.

DUNSMUIR, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Dunsmuir has a foot of snow and promise of more. A high wind accompanied the snow fall, causing the snow to drift.

AIMED AT AMERICA.

Russian Duma Has a Bill Before It to Exclude from the Empire United States Jews.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—A supplementary legislative proposal of a frankly prohibitive character was introduced by the Nationalists in the Duma today. It is aimed directly at the United States. According to its terms American citizens of the Jewish religion are to be totally excluded from Russia and in the second place customs duties are to be raised by 100 per cent. unless the Russian normal schedule is lower than the American. In that case a duty equaling the American duty will be collected.

The author of the bill states that the last provision is necessary in order to deal with the importation of American agricultural machinery.

FAMILY IS WIPED OUT.

Arkansas Man Believed to Have Killed Wife and Children Before Ending His Own Life.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Dec. 27.—News reached this city this afternoon that the entire family of James Grant, consisting of himself, wife, and children, have been murdered. Grant resided twelve miles from Benton, Ark.

The evidence tends to show, it is declared, that Grant killed his wife and children and then took his own life. Details regarding the tragedy are few.

BY AN EXPLOSION.

Buffalo Building Is Wrecked and Two Officers Looking for Suspect Are Injured.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Dec. 27.—Policemen William Hearn and John Flynn were searching a house in Fay street early today for Paul Lutz, suspected of having committed a murderous assault on a woman when an explosion wrecked the building and hurled the officers into the street.

Half an hour before the police had been notified that a murder had been committed at No. 92 Fay street. The officers found that Mrs. Ida Schultz, 55 years old had been beaten on the head and was dying. Hearn was badly burned and bruised by the explosion, but Flynn escaped with a few bruises.

QUESTION OF PAY.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—It will be up to the Senators and Assemblymen themselves to say whether they will receive $10 each for the hour or more of work which they did at the second extra session of the Legislature last Sunday, according to State Comptroller Nye. The Constitution says a member shall be entitled to $10 "for each day while in attendance at a special or extraordinary session," and the second extra session was regarded as being called on a new legislative day. So State Comptroller Nye holds that according to law he cannot do otherwise than draw the warrants, leaving it to the members to decide whether or not they will receive them.

Fruit Growers Gratified.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The weather moderated this morning and rain began to fall. It will be welcomed by the fruit growers.

Max Blanck.

Isaac Harris

Factory Proprietors,

Who were found "not guilty" by New York jury after trial for responsibility in the fire in which 147 employees lost their lives.

Acquittal.

SHIRT-WAIST MEN ARE ABSOLVED.

STATE FAILS TO FIX BLAME FOR HOLOCAUST.

Verdict of Not Guilty Is Returned in Case of Proprietors of Factory Where Numerous Lives Were Lost in Fire Last March—Demonstration at Court.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The State failed today in its effort to fix the blame of the fire horror of March 25, 1911, in which 147 employees of the Triangle Waist Company lost their lives. A verdict of "not guilty" was returned late today in the case of Isaac Harris and Max Blanck, proprietors of the factory, who were indicted in connection with the holocaust.

Unusual precautions were taken to prevent repetition at the Courthouse today of the demonstrations made against the defendants during the trial. Only a few persons were allowed in the courtroom, and the corridors and entrances were heavily guarded.

The jury came in at 4:36 p.m., after having deliberated an hour and forty-five minutes. The verdict was at first taken quietly by the defendants, but after the adjournment of court they gave way to their emotions. As they passed out through a lane of policemen to the street a large crowd of men, women and children awaited them. One hysterical man tried to press through the throng crying: "Not guilty! Not guilty! Murder! Murder! Murder!" He fell on the steps of the Courthouse in convulsions, gasping that he had lost a sister in the fire. By the time the excitement was over the defendants had darted into a subway entrance, escaping the hostile crowd. Harris and Blanck were charged specifically with manslaughter in the case of Margaret Schwartz, a young girl, who was found dead near a door on the ninth floor of the building.

The main argument of both prosecution and defense was directed against this door, the State introducing more than a hundred witnesses in an attempt to prove that it was locked, and the defense answering this contention with a mass of testimony.

RICE IS RE-ARRESTED.

Charge of Stock Swindling Is Held Without Bail.

Man on Trial in New York on

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[George Graham Rice, who, with B. H. Scheftels and others, has been on trial in United States Circuit Court the last eight weeks, charged with misuse of the mails in an alleged scheme to defraud investors, was re-arrested today on a bench warrant and committed to the tombs without bail.

On his arraignment his attorney protested the government had no right to re-arrest him and hold him without bail on an indictment for which he was at present standing trial. Judge Ray, however, replied that the warrant had been issued "in the interests of justice," and ordered Rice locked up.

No official statement was forthcoming as to the cause of the re-arrest of Rice. Last week, it is alleged, an attempt was made by George J. Byrne to bribe a juror in the case against Rice and Scheftels. Byrne is under indictment, and is held in the tombs in default of $10,000 bail.

From what is considered a reliable source, it was learned tonight that since Byrne's arrest, the Department of Justice has conducted a thorough investigation into an alleged conspiracy to bribe other jurors. It was said several other arrests might be expected shortly, but no names were mentioned.

SUPREME COURT RULING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—In the case of the Lightner Mining Company against C. J. Lane and others, owners of the Utica mine, the State Supreme Court handed down a decision today in which the verdict of the lower court is sustained so far as holding the plaintiff to have been injured. In the case of damages awarded the $50,000 called for by the lower court is modified by $27,000. The case originated in Tuolumne county, the plaintiff asserting the Utica people had mined 12,000 tons of ore from property belonging to the Lightner Mining Company. In its order modifying the judgment the the Supreme Court held the defendant made a showing that the cost of running the ore through the mill was $27,000 and that therefore the net value of the ore was only $23,000.

SEEKING FLOOD CONTROL.

STOCKTON (Cal.) Dec. 27.—An organization was formed today for the purpose of uniting on a general water control plan by which it is hoped to overcome freshet and flood problems and to aid irrigation and navigation. The Stockton association will affiliate with the National Irrigation Association and will be represented at New Orleans, April 10, by I. L. Borden, owner of Victoria Island. The organization followed an address by George H. Maxwell, who is active in getting enacted by Congress a bill providing for the regulation and control of the flow of navigable rivers, and as a means to that end to provide for flood prevention and protection.

FLASHES

By Wire to The Times Yesterday

LARAMIE (Wyo.) Union Pacific westbound train No. 7, running forty miles an hour, was wrecked fourteen miles west of here yesterday. The engine left the track on account of a broken rail, and was followed by the first three cars. The dining-car chef was seriously injured, and a number of the passengers were slightly hurt. A relief train with surgeons and the wrecker were sent from here.

HAMBURG. The Hamburg-American line has ordered a third 50,000-ton liner for the trans-Atlantic service. She will be constructed by Blohm & Voss, at their private yards here, and will be a sister ship to the Imperator, which has a length of 890 feet, and a ninety-foot beam. The Imperator, which is to go into service in the spring of 1913, will provide accommodations for 5000 passengers.

PITTSBURGH. The financial affairs of Harry Kendall Thaw, an inmate of Matteawan asylum, and slayer of Stanford White, were wound up yesterday when Referee in Bankruptcy William R. Blair directed that checks for 12 per cent. of the amount of the claims against Thaw's estate be mailed to his creditors. Thaw's liabilities were about $300,000. The principal claim was that of his mother, Mrs. Mary Copley Thaw, for $200,676.

BERLIN. An incombustible cinematograph film, which will lessen the possibilities of panics in moving picture theaters, was demonstrated recently before the Berlin Chemical Society, and is now reported to be a success.

GIBRALTAR. Still another vessel, the German steamer Chios, foundered with nearly all hands during the recent storm in the Bay of Biscay. The Chios, belonging to the German Televante line, was proceeding from Hamburg to Alexandria last Thursday, when she was caught in the hurricane and sank with all but two of her crew. The chief officer and one sailor were rescued by a passing vessel.

NEW YORK. The Central Presbyterian Church of Brooklyn, which has the largest membership of any church of the denomination in the United States, has decided to abolish pew renting, and will recommend that all its churches in the country follow its example. The work of the Central Church costs about $30,000 a year, most of which has heretofore been raised through the sale of sittings.

BOSTON. Claiming that he was entirely successful in his attempt to locate beneath the River Wye a receptacle containing proofs that Bacon wrote the plays credited to Shakespeare, Dr. Orville W. Owen of Detroit, Mich., is back from England with a great bundle of proofs and evidence for the inspection of American scholars. Dr. Owen searched for the proofs in some stone work at the bottom of the River Wye, according to cipher directions picked out of certain Shakespearean plays. He says the cipher was accurate in every detail.

BOSTON. It became known here yesterday that Miss Violet Edmands, the Brookline heiress who was engaged to marry the Rev. C. V. T. Richeson, has left her home to become a settlement worker in New York. Miss Edmands was formerly active in charitable work in Brookline. The announcement that she is now doing settlement work in New York came from a close friend of the family.

ARGUING MURDER CASE.

REDDING (Cal.) Dec. 27.—[By A. P Night Wire.] After a holiday postponement of nearly a week the Fleming murder trial was resumed today. The defense stated that as all the evidence was in, it was willing to submit the case to the jury without argument. The prosecution objected, and Dist.-Atty. Chenoweth began the summing up. He will be followed this afternoon by Attorney George W. Bush for the defense. By previous arrangement with the court the arguments must be completed by Friday night. The courtroom was crowded again today.

Everybody Celebrates New Year's Eve in San Francisco.

$18.75 Round Trip via Santa Fe on December 28, 29, 30, 31, January 1. Good for return January 2. "The Saint" leaves at 5:15 p.m.

New Year's Excursions

Between all points where the one-way rate does not exceed $15. On sale December 30-31 and January 1. Return limit January 2, 1912. Southern Pacific.

Transition.

REYES IS EN ROUTE TO CAPITAL AS A PRISONER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ON BOARD REYES CAR, MONTEREY (Mex.) Dec. 27.—Heavily guarded and on his way to the capital to answer the charge of sedition, Gen. Bernardo Reyes is being hurried southward tonight through towns, the inhabitants of which have been kept in ignorance of his passage. So nicely was his departure from Linares timed that only a small portion of the population was aware of it, and in Monterey, his old home, possible trouble was averted by routing his car around the city.

ANXIOUS OVER HIS FATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LINARES (Mex.) Dec. 27.—Relieved of the strain of his days spent as a fugitive in the mountains and brush, Gen. Bernardo Reyes has regained much of his old-time cheerfulness, but is tiring of his role of honored prisoner. Today he continued to receive his friends, but the question he asked most frequently was: "When will the train be ready to bear me to the capital?"

The disillusioned rebel leader has reached the point where he longs for the knowledge of his fate.

PROCEED AGAINST ZAPATA.

RURALES SENT IN FORCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—A body of troops consisting of nearly 1000 rurales has been ordered from the provinces of Nuevo Leon and Tamaulipas to the province of Morelos to co-operate in the campaign against Gen. Emilio Zapata. In the opinion of government officials the releasing of troops in the northern districts through the collapse of the Reyes movement will lead to the speedy elimination of Gen. Zapata.

Warms Up to Him.

TAKEN FOR FOOTPAD AFTER AUTO BURNS.

MONROVIA, Dec. 27.—Motoring home from Los Angeles last night, E. B. Rivers, of the firm of Rivers Bros., wondered at the sudden and rapid rise in temperature as he approached the foothills. Even "burning up the pike" did not seem to account entirely for the change, and as he reached the conclusion that it was just the equable foothill climate when he localized the cause under the seat of his Palmer-Singer 30.

The Elijah act was not included in his repertoire, and besides, there was no audience, so he climbed out quickly but gracefully. He managed to save his personal baggage and some of the car's equipment before the flames spread to the gas tank. The body of the car was wholly destroyed, but it is believed that the engine and running gear can be salvaged.

After leaving his ruined machine near Arcadia, Rivers plodded homeward until he saw the headlight of a car approaching from the west. Rushing to the middle of the road he hailed the driver, who thought that Rivers was a footpad, and tried to run him down. In passing, however, he recognized his unfortunate townsman and brought him home.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.

MASON OPERA HOUSE— Broadway, Between First and Second. Charles Frohman, Klaw & Erlanger, Lessees. W. T. Wyatt, Mgr. ALL WEEK, MATINEE SATURDAY; KLAW & ERLANGER PRESENT ROBERT HILLIARD IN HIS ENORMOUS SUCCESS, "A Fool There Was" ST. LOUIS EMBASSY. Prices, 50c to $2.00.

Week Commencing Next SUNDAY NIGHT (NEW YEAR'S EVE) POPULAR PARISIAN FASHION MATINEES MONDAY (New Year's) SATURDAY—AT SPECIAL PRICES, 50c to $1.50. ANNA HELD IN F. ZIEGFELD, JR.'S SENSATIONAL MUSICAL COMEDY SUCCESS "MISS INNOCENCE" 150—IN THE COMPANY—150. AND THOSE CAPTIVATING ANNA HELD GIRLS. Seats Ready Today at 9 a.

BROADWAY— Between 6th and 7th. Phones: Home 10075, Main 8220. THE STANDARD Orpheum OF VAUDEVILLE. SIX BRACKS, Famous European Athletes; DIAMOND & NELSON, "Two Chips Off the Old Block"; BROWN, HARRIS & BROWN, "Just to Laugh, That's All"; HERTON & Bicycle Football; PAT ROONEY, MARION BENT, "The Busy Bee"; KING & CO., "Legend of the Spring"; LYNCH & ZELLER, Clever Comedians; FLORA ARROYO De JORDAN, Prima Donna; last week ED. F. REYNARD, "Mornin' in Hicksville." Orchestra Symphony Concerts, 2 and 8. Popular Motion Views. Every Night at 8, 10-25-50-75c. Boxes $1. Matinee Daily, Boxes 75c.

LYCEUM THEATER— (Formerly Orpheum) SPRING ST., BET. 2ND AND 3RD. Matinees Sunday, Wednesday and Saturday. Phone A1258. LAST WEEK—MATINEE SATURDAY. For the 13th season, J. R. Stirling presents ROSE MELVILLE in the characteristic and laughable pastoral comedy "SIS HOPKINS" "There ain't no use doin' nothin' for nobody what don't do nothin' for you." Every Night, 15-25-50-75c. Boxes $1. Regular Matinees, 15-25-50c. All next week, beginning Sunday matinee Dec. 31, SPECIAL MATINEE MONDAY, NEW YEAR'S DAY. Bargain Matinee Wednesday, all Seats Two-Bits.

FOUNDED UPON AN EMBLEM OF PURITY. "The Rosary" Nights, 15-25-50-75c. Boxes $1. Regular Matinees, 15-25-50c. Seats now selling.

BELASCO THEATER— MAIN ST. Between 3rd and 4th. MATINEES TODAY, SATURDAY. New World's [Altitude Speed] Record. Are being made every day by "THE AVIATOR" The New and Novel Montgomery Mirth Maker. AT THE BELASCO FIELD—ASCENSIONS POSITIVE, NO MATTER WHAT WIND OR WEATHER. Regular Belasco prices. POPULAR MATINEES. NEXT WEEK—First appearance with the Belasco company of EMMA in the first stock company production anywhere of Zelda Sears's comedy success "THE NEST EGG" Seats now selling. Special matinee New Year's Day.

MOROSCO'S BURBANK THEATER— MAIN STREET. Positively Last 5 Times of This Real Fun Hit. The Burbank stock company, with FLORENCE STONE, in last week, CLYDE FITCH'S Greatest Laughing Success, THE BLUE MOUSE. Prices: Nights, 25c, 50c and 75c. Matinees Today and Saturday, 25c. COMMENCING SUNDAY MATINEE—SPECIAL MATINEE NEW YEAR'S DAY. The Burbank stock company with FLORENCE STONE, will offer a new George Broadhurst's famous play of love and politics, "The Man of the Hour" Seats for this important offering now selling. Special New Year's Matinee.

HAMBURGER'S MAJESTIC THEATER— TONIGHT AND THIS WEEK ONLY—POPULAR MATINEE TODAY. WM. A. BRADY announces Jules Eckert Goodman's Comedy Success MOTHER. Prices: Nights and Matinee Saturday, 50c to $1.50. COMING—Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 3, 4, 5 and 6, Inness Friday and Saturday. HENRY W. SAVAGE offers the original production in English of Puccini's Grand Opera "THE GIRL OF THE GOLDEN WEST" Seat Sale Opens Monday, January 1st at 9 a.m. Prices $3.00, $2.50, $2.00, $1.50 and $1.00. All seats reserved.

EMPRESS THEATER— 20TH CENTURY VAUDEVILLE. SPRING STREET, BELOW 3RD. "The Best Vaudeville Show That Have Ever Seen at the Empress" Julian Johnson in "The Photoplay Idea" When the foremost critic of the West says that about a vaudeville show it is worth your time and money to see it. COME EARLY. 10-20-30 Popular Matinee Every Day. 2 Shows Every Night. 10-20-30

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ADOLPHUS THEATER— MAIN STREET, NEAR 3RD. ORPHANS QUARTETTE 7 OTHER SPLENDID FEATURES. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE 2:30 to 11:00—11:30 to 2:00. 10=20 EVERY ACT A HEADLINER. —10-20—10-20—10-20—10-20—

GRAND OPERA HOUSE— POPULAR PRICES. ALL WEEK. MATINEE SATURDAY. FERRIS HARTMAN AND HIS COMPANY OFFER The Toymaker "The Sho-Gun" Sunday—First time in stock.

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...to Know Whereabouts ...d Lost Securities.

...ilo of the Failure of ... Trust Company.

...CT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
...FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Ex...Dispatch.] The Governor of ..., who was attorney for J. ...own, convicted of complic... in wrecking of the California ...ment and Trust Company and ... of valuable securities, will ... on January 12 to reveal his ... of what became of the ... Pacific Railroad stock, ...ould have belonged to the ... of the bank, but which was ...from the proper channel be... failure of the institution.
...THE DEPOSITORS.
...Samuel Rosenheim, of ...for the depositors' associa... ...ecting an action against ...bers of the defunct bank, ...and the Governor he will go ...ento on January 12 and, in ...ate chambers, take the test... of the Governor.
...ernor will be asked specifi... to his recollection of the dis... of Western Pacific stock, of ...,000 shares, obtained from ... interests in behalf of the ...olutely vanished. It is ...known got 12,500 shares, James ... Treadwell a like amount ...ge J. Bartnett said that he ...a similar amount. In addi... account for the dis... of 15,000 shares by saying ...T. Hawley received them.
...KNOWS NOTHING.
...ter to Rosenheim, received ..., the Governor states bland... knows nothing about Bart... Pacific stock. He does ...ow a thing about Brown's ...in disposition. He also ...reference to a telegram, now ...ent record with his signa... ...ated declaring that he has ...vague recollection of the ..." which had been addressed

to Julius W. Raphael, then a member of the depositors' committee on re-organization, and which gave facts concerning this security.

The Governor will have an opportunity to tell fully what he knows of the bank wreck, and it will be interesting to see whether he pleads that his transactions with Brown are privileged, since he was the attorney for Brown, and stands on the record in the courts as such today.

STAYS DIVORCE SUIT.

Woman in Germany Contrives to Locate Runaway Husband Through German Foreign Service.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—With the aid of the German Ambassador's office in Washington and the San Francisco Consulate, Mrs. Johanna Kotz has traced her husband to this city in time to file an answer and cross-complaint to the husband's suit for divorce, filed in the Superior Court here several weeks ago. She charges that Joseph Kotz, her husband, eloped with Mrs. Margerethe Hofman from Frankfort, Germany, taking with him her share of a joint fund of $6000. A stay in the proceedings instituted by Kotz is asked until Mrs. Kotz can raise funds to come to San Francisco to fight the divorce action and obtain a settlement for the maintenance of herself and their two children.

RICH ONES FIGHT FIRE.

ORIENTAL RELICS IN DANGER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Richard Tobin, millionaire polo player, and other residents of exclusive Hillsboro, joined last night in extinguishing a fire at the home of Henry P. Bowie that threatened to destroy Oriental treasures valued at more than $200,000. Bowie, who has been decorated with the Order of the Rising Sun by the Emperor of Japan, was at dinner when apprised of the burning of his home. Accompanied by young Roosevelt and Tobin, Bowie hastened to his home, and the trio assisted in extinguishing the blaze.

TO INSPECT MILITIA.

ARMY OFFICER IS DETAILED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—Adjt.-Gen. Forbes is preparing data upon which the United States War Department and his office will make the annual inspections of the National Guard organizations of California. It has been announced that the infantry organizations of the guard will be inspected by Capt. S. O. Fuqua, U.S.A., who has been detailed for this service by the department at Washington. These inspections will begin February 5 and continue until April 8. Officers from the guard will assist the United States army and navy officers in the work of inspection.

Status.

...TE OF THE AMENDMENTS ... IN STATE LEGISLATURE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...MENTO, Dec. 27.—The ...ature and the voters of Cal... made an even record on ...stitutional amendments and ...s in the call for a special ... The Legislature refused to ...ll to put in operation the ...and measures amendment. ...ure at the constitutional ...ent election refused to adopt ...osed amendment—that which ...ishes the right to ride on rail... with passes.
...of the amendments adopted by ...ple at the special election last ...e required legislation to put ...operation. Here is a resume ...amendments and how they

...constitutional amendment ...quires legislative sanction to ...e effect, but which the Legis... failed to give because the As... and the Senate could not agree ...the provisions of the bill.
...THE ELECTION.
...ate for Senate constitutional ...ment No. 5, relating to charters ...ons and amendments to such ..., is operative and has been ...the election was certified.
...constitutional amendment ...the equal suffrage amendment, ...ives the right to vote. It ...only amendatory laws to ...he codes comply with the con... amendment.
...constitutional amendment ...already in force.
...constitutional amendment ...No legislation was necessary.
...constitutional amendment ...required the enactment of laws ...it into effect so far as county ...ment is concerned, but not to ...directly effective in the State. ...were passed by the Legislature ...special session putting the ...ment in operation for counties.
...REQUIRED LEGISLATION.
...constitutional amendment ...required legislation to make ...ive in counties, but not for ...officials.
...constitutional amendment No. 26 did not require legislative enactments to make it effective.

Senate constitutional amendment No. 32, relating to compensation for industrial accidents, requiring legislation at the special session of the Senate and the Assembly.

Senate constitutional amendment No. 47 relating to the powers of the Public Utilities Commission, known as the State Railroad Commission, required acts of the Legislature to put the provisions of the amendment into force.

Senate constitutional amendment No. 48 relating to powers conferred on municipal corporations by freeholders charters, did not require legislation to make the amendment effective upon adoption.

Senate constitutional amendment No. 49 did not require the enactment of any law to make it effective.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 2, establishing the minimum period for which State text-books could be adopted, was operative at once.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 6, relating to the Railroad Commission, required legislation and the bill known as the public utilities measure, put the amendment into operation.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 25, required an act to put it into effect, and the Legislature at the extra session provided the necessary machinery.

TO MAKE IT OPERATIVE.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 26 did not require legislation to make it operative.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 28 was defeated at the constitutional election last October.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 33 did not require legislation to make it operative.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 46 did not require legislation to put it into operation upon being adopted.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 48 will become effective when the Legislature enacts laws putting it into force. This will probably be done at the next regular session of the Legislature.

Assembly constitutional amendment No. 50 was covered by the public utilities bill passed by the Legislature at the special session. It required a law to become active.

Precautions.

...TEEN HUNDRED POLICE ...TO ROUT WON'T WORKERS

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...REEN (Wash.) Dec. 27.—...ive Dispatch.] Press re... that 250 Industrial Workers ...World had left St. Louis to aid ... members of the I Won't ... their alleged "fight for free ... have caused fresh precau... be adopted by the city au...

...ding to advices from police ...ers, every precaution will ... to meet the contemplated in... with tactics similar to those ... when several dozen leaders ... organization were recently ...t of the city.
...members are coming to ...—was the brief, but emphatic, announcement of the Mayor this afternoon, "we will have 1500 men on the street and in the railroad yards to meet them."

The organization of the Special Police, appointed at the time of the first attack on the city, is still intact, the members all being under orders to report at a given signal.

Meeting of the police will now be held and plans will be perfected to receive the "guests." Hundreds of box cars between here and St. Louis have been placarded with notices calling the Won't Workers to proceed to this city. So far, all attempts have been frustrated. Won't Workers have been coming in bands of three or four from time to time. They have been met on their arrival here and sent out of town by the police.

Demented.

THINKS BABY GIRL IS LOST.

Distracted Father Lost at San Francisco.

Trouble Caused by Abscess in His Ear.

Wife and Child Waiting in Anguish.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Imagining that his baby girl is lost, Robert Proudfit the son of Victor Proudfit, Assistant United States Commissioner of Public Lands at Washington, is wandering somewhere in the region of San Francisco, while the baby, Mary, keeps asking her mother: "When is papa coming home?"

Mother and child, with O. L. Ingram, a brother of Mrs. Proudfit, are staying at the Argonaut Hotel. Today the anxious wife and her brother called up hospital after hospital, seeking news of the missing man, but without avail. Hour by hour the anxiety of the young wife and mother increased, in fear that harm might come to her husband in his distracted state.

Early in the month, in the Walla Walla home of the Proudfits, a letter was received from Robert Proudfit that he would return before Christmas. The tone was cheerful and no indication was given that the pain which at last upset his mind had begun.

"LOOKING FOR BABY."

"I'm looking for the baby," he wrote. "She is lost in San Francisco, and I must find her. The people here are cruel and heartless, for they laugh at me when I tell them my baby Mary is lost, and asked them where to find her.

"There is a terrible pain in my head."

There was more of the letter in the same vein, showing that the torture caused by an abscess in the ear, a trouble he had suffered from once before three years ago, had caused a temporary unbalancing of his mind.

She sent a message at once to a relative here, who notified the police, and a search for the missing man was begun.

FATHER PROMINENT MAN.

The father of the missing man, Assistant Commissioner Victor Proudfit, has been in the government service in Washington for more than twenty-five years.

On being informed of his son's disappearance, Victor Proudfit set on foot a search which is to extend across the continent, for it is felt that the early and complete recovery of the brilliant young man may depend in great measure upon an immediate operation to remove the pressure of the abscess on his brain.

BANQUET THE TEACHERS.

Dine In Groups at Stockton, Where the State Association is Holding Convention.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 27.—Following a day of many very busy sessions, the California teachers are divided into groups tonight banqueting, the Valley Schoolmasters' Club, the Federation of School Women's Clubs and the San Jose Normal Men's clubs being the more prominent functions.

State Superintendent Edward Hyatt urged before the teachers today that more attention be paid to "humane education." He urged that the children be taught kindness toward insects and dumb animals, and that the teachers devote themselves at all times, rather than by special sessions, to the work of inculcating in the young a tenderness and kindness towards all plant and animal life, to the end that in after years they may be more kindly disposed in their relations with the world generally.

Principal Avery of the San Jose High School advocated free text-books, with the proviso that each county or educational district exercise local option as to the special text-books desired.

Dr. Guy Potter Benton, president of the University of Vermont, discussed "Educational Infanticide." He appealed for a longer school life, condemned hastening tactics in rushing children through the grades, and advocated eight years for the grammar grades, four years for the high school and four years for the colleges.

Agnes E. Howe of the San Jose State Normal School, and president of the California Teachers' Association, spoke on "Girl Training." The speaker pleaded for the girls' preparation to handle finances. She urged that girls at school be given the pin money boys receive, so they may have opportunities to learn what it means to handle money and to learn wisdom in the disposal of it.

DISAPPEAR IN LAUNCH.

MAN AND WOMAN MISSING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—Mrs. Norah A. Clarke of Blaine, Wash., widow of the assistant keeper of Patos Island lighthouse station, and the father of C. L. Durgan, assistant keeper at Samiamhoo Harbor light station, are missing, and are thought to have perished while attempting to reach the stations on December 22. They started for Patos Island in a launch after receiving word that Assistant Keeper Clark had been drowned. They failed to reach their destination, and a second launch, sent in search for them, was driven back by the storm.

CAR HITS A HEARSE.

CASKET THROWN TO PAVEMENT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—While a funeral cortege was on its way from a Mission undertaking establishment to a Greek church where services were to be held, a street car, unable to stop, on the wet rails, struck and overturned the hearse, throwing the casket, containing the body of Mrs. Barbara Rogali, to the pavement. The hearse was wrecked and the glass front of the casket was broken out, exposing the corpse. A new hearse was sent for, however, and the procession continued.

OFFICERS SEIZE A STILL.

United States Revenue Men Find a Moonshine Outfit on a Ranch on the Mountainside.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PETALUMA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George A. Bear, United States revenue officer, accompanied by W. J. Dilaney, a special revenue officer of San Francisco, quietly dropped into this city this morning and later drove to the S. F. Gilardi ranch far up on the Sonoma Mountains and seized a still of great capacity, and the largest ever seized in this part of the State.

The outfit consisted of a still proper, the worm and complete outfit.

The officers returned to his city at 3 o'clock and were wet to the skin, half frozen and hungry after their long cold drive in the storm. The officers' information will be filed with the Federal officers. It seems that Dilaney and a comrade named S. K. Davis were recently through the mountain on a search for moonshine, and they came across the outfit of the Gilardi ranch.

The raid was postponed until today, when the still and outfit was captured without resistance, but no moonshine was found, as it had not been operated this season.

SENTENCED AND PAROLED.

Portland Minister Found Guilty of Contributing to the Delinquency of Fifteen-year-old Girl.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John B. Goddard, former Methodist preacher and realty dealer, convicted last week of encouraging the delinquency of a 15-year-old girl, was sentenced to serve a term of from three to twenty years in the State penitentiary by Circuit Judge Campbell this morning and then paroled.

Judge Campbell ordered Goddard to report once a month to the presiding judge of the Circuit Court.

He excoriated Goddard before sentencing and paroling him.

Goddard was found guilty Saturday night by a jury. The twelve men recommended a parole.

Judge Campbell announced he extended leniency for the sake of Goddard's wife and two children.

Bessie Wood, the girl in the case, lacked five weeks of being 16 years old. Another girl who testified against Goddard is 17 years old.

FILES NEW BILL

PORTLAND, Dec. 27.—In pursuance of an order made by the State Circuit Court recently, the District Attorney filed today a bill on which he bases his hopes of convicting Louis J. Wilde of San Diego, Cal., on the charge of embezzlement in connection with the alleged sale in 1907 of $500,000 bonds of the Omaha Independent Telephone Company to the defunct Oregon Trust and Savings Bank, of which W. Cooper Morris was cashier. The bill alleged Wilde, as a stockholder in and fiscal agent for the Union Telephone and Construction Company, and a stockholder of the bank, conspired with Morris to embezzle $90,000 from the bank by reporting to the construction company the bonds had been sold at 82, or approximately that figure, at the same time carrying into the books of the bank the purchase price as par, thus "fraudulently and feloniously" converting approximately $90,000 of the funds of the bank.

TO CREATE WORK FOR THE UNEMPLOYED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—The City Council today appropriated $10,000 to pay for work to be provided for the unemployed. Primarily the intention is to furnish work for those who are out of employment to enable them to live and to weed out the hobo element, sending them out of town, or to the city rock pile. The work will consist of grubbing stumps in the city parks, breaking rocks at the city's quarry for surfacing streets and road building.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Writ of Mandate Served.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The State Board of Control and State Controller Nye were served today with a writ of mandate, issued from the San Francisco Superior Court, ordering them to show cause why the claim of San Francisco against the State for improvements on Beale street has been refused payment. This claim is for $11,433.82. The Board of Control rejected the claim on the ground that it was not a proper charge against the State.

Student's Body Found.

CORVALLIS (Or.) Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The body of Benjamin H. Williams, a student of the Oregon Agricultural College, registered from Pasadena, Cal., who was drowned yesterday in the upsetting of his canoe, was recovered today. Bert Cole, a companion, also from California, who was riding in the canoe with Williams, saved himself.

Poisoned Candy Is Fatal.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Candy, poisoned by artificial coloring, is held responsible for the death in the Sisters' Hospital last night of Martha Halifax, 4-year-old daughter of John W. Halifax, secretary of Halifax Bros. Co. The girl ate Christmas candy several days before Christmas and was soon after taken violently ill. The physicians diagnosed her case as acute gastritis due to poisoned candy.

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TWO TREATIES WITH RUSSIA.

One to Be Devoted Entirely to Business Matters.

The Other Will Treat the Passport Question.

Negotiations Postponed Until After the Elections.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Two treaties with Russia probably will replace the newly abrogated treaty of 1832, officials of the State Department said today.

One of these conventions will deal entirely with matters of trade and commerce, and the operation of its favored nation clause if one were embodied would be confined to these subjects.

MATTERS OF CITIZENSHIP.

The other treaty would relate purely to matters of citizenship and naturalization, which, of course, would involve some treatment of the Jewish question. The adoption of this course may be suggested by the Russian government.

The introduction in the duma today of the bill attacking the American export trade with Russia is not regarded with much concern in official circles here.

Even if the measure should be adopted by the duma, it would require the approval of the Imperial Council and of the Emperor himself to become law.

THE PRESENT TREATY.

It could not take effect before January 1, 1913, because of the continuance until that date of the present treaty with its favored nation clause.

Negotiations for a new treaty probably will not be undertaken seriously before September. Meanwhile the Russian general elections will have been held as will the great American quadrennial political conventions. Removed from all likelihood of political influence in either country, it is felt that negotiations then can be conducted in a calm and judicial manner.

SCHOOL AVERAGE GROWS.

Attendance of Children and Length of School Term Increasing, as Shown by Government Report.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The highest average of school attendance in the history of the American school system was reached in the year 1909, according to statistics gathered by the United States Bureau of Education. Figures for 1910 are not yet available, but the opinion was expressed today by Dr. E. B. Dresiar of the bureau that 1910 would show still better results.

Returns show, he declared, that the length of the school term increased from 144 days in 1900 to 155 days in 1909, while in the same period the average number of days attended by each pupil rose from 99 to 113. This means that more than half a month has been added to the average length of school term and, in this particular alone, educational effectiveness has been increased during the last decade about 8 per cent.

"In 1900 our figures show," he said, "that the average daily attendance in the public schools was 10,632,772, which was 68.6 per cent. of the enrollment; in 1909 the average daily attendance reached 12,684,837, being 72.5 per cent. of the number enrolled."

ROUGHS SON; PAYS FINE.

Denver Man Tries Novel Plan to Correct Child and Is Arrested.

[A. P. NIGHT NEWS REPORT.]

DENVER, Dec. 27.—Someone told L. L. Chadwick, a laborer, that any bad habits which his 6-year-old son might possess could be corrected by rolling the youngster's naked body in the snow. He followed this advice and was fined $100 in the municipal court today.

TO BLOCK SPECIAL PENSION.

Senator Works Wants to Put a Rider on the Sherwood Bill that Has Many Supporters.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Senator Works of California will attempt to attach to the Sherwood pension bill a provision absolutely prohibiting any special pension bills and making ineligible for pension any person who attempts to get special legislation. Senator Works hopes to stop the flood of special pensions which are passed by Congress at each session. Despite the Senate committee on pensions is framing a substitute for the Sherwood bill which would scale the pensions proposed, the measure as it came from the House has found many supporters in the Senate.

TO SHUT OUT FLY PEST.

APPROPRIATION ASKED FOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representatives Kahn and Hayes arranged tonight to ask Secretary of Agriculture Wilson tomorrow to recommend to Congress a special appropriation for exterminating the Mediterranean fly in Hawaii, to prevent the pest from reaching the United States. They hope to have steps taken to secure the fruits of California and other Pacific Coast States against the fly, whose introduction would undoubtedly result, it is asserted, in quarantine by other States against Pacific Coast fruits.

TO ORGANIZE BANKS.

CALIFORNIA APPLICATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Comptroller of Currency has received the following applications to organize banks: Central National Bank of Williams, capital $25,000; H. C. Stovall Williams, correspondent; F. W. Beim, G. Poe, J. M. Stovall and G. A. Ware. First National Bank of Van Nuys, capital $50,000; Lewis E. Bliss, Van Nuys, Cal., correspondent; O. G. Wigdal, F. J. Eddy, H. J. Whitley and G. P. Hanna.

BEE INSPECTOR WANTED.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—That a State-wide effort will be made at the next session of the Legislature to have the office of State Bee Inspector created and filled by some competent bee man, was evinced at the sixth annual convention of the Northern California Bee Keepers' Association which convened here today.

Members of the association from a number of communities in the northern part of the State, as well as practically all the bee keepers of Sacramento and vicinity, were in attendance. It is asserted by President Walker and others that the bee keepers all over the State are heartily in favor now of the State inspector plan, which, they say, will check the spread of foulbrood, the disease most dreaded by bee keepers.

Happy.

SUN WORSHIPERS CROWD TEMPLE.

Say They're Not Worried by Case in Court.

Chicago Divine Wants to Exterminate Cult.

Insists It Tends to Injure Church's Power.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sun worshipers in the Mazdasnan cult celebrated Christmas festivities in Chicago just as if nothing had happened to disturb their peace. They flocked to the temple on Lake Park avenue in the afternoon for "heart to heart talks and testimonials," according to the Christmas celebration programme. Those present were not worried about the legal proceedings against one of their fellow-workers, Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay, for possession of whose 12-year-old son, William Lindsay, court action has been started.

ALL ARE HAPPY.

"Dr. Ottoman will explain freely all the teachings of our religion," said one of the women in the temple. "He will do that when he is called on to testify at the trial on January 4. We have nothing to be ashamed of here. You can see we are all happy and none of us look as if we were partaking the foolish ceremonials the papers have been telling about."

A middle-aged man, wearing a white serge suit, came forward just then and addressed the reporter, who had been admitted into the large reception room on the ground floor of the temple.

"Do you know history?" he asked the visitor. "Well, if you do, you must know that every new philosophy has been persecuted. Christ was crucified and Galileo was burned. We are not comparing ourselves with the great leaders of the world, except in as much as we are subjected to persecution, or abuse, by people who know nothing about our religion.

NOT A NEW ONE.

"Our religion is not a new one, but it is new in this part of the country. All it teaches is sensible living and decent thinking."

A story of how the teachings of Mazdasnan caused a Chicago man to take his life in a manner similar to that of James Cervenka, also a follower of Hanish, who was found hanging to a tree in a German forest last summer, came to light today. It was the pathetic one of Ole Selland, 30 years old, a telegrapher, who became infatuated by the fantasies of the cult and after three years of groping about in the maze of weird beliefs became despondent and bought a revolver, with which he ended his life in Lincoln Park, November 4, 1908. The story was told by a former friend and neighbor of Selland, who was sought by the telegrapher for several years as a convert. He is A. B. Jensen, advertising manager of a chemical manufacturing company.

Dean Walter T. Sumner of the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul said today that he hoped eventually to get enough evidence against the sun cult to stamp it out.

"I have been investigating the cult," said Dean Sumner, "since I received a letter some time ago from a New Jersey family whose son had fallen under the sway of Hanish and his theories. I have found the cult does much toward wrecking the power of the church. I sincerely hope to be able to drive this cult out of Chicago and out of existence."

STATE SPRINGS SURPRISE.

Counsel for Defense in Burglary Case Unprepared for Development and Gets Adjournment.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EUREKA (Cal.) Dec. 27.—After a jury had been sworn today in the trial of the Rev. H. T. Adams, the Episcopal clergyman of Arcata, who is charged with having robbed the till in a business house, Dist.-Atty. Gregor sprang a surprise that seemingly so disconcerted the defense that on its motion the court allowed an adjournment until tomorrow without beginning the taking of testimony.

While the defendant is accused of a burglary committed on September 16 it has been taken for granted by the defense that this charge related to the time when Mr. Adams was pounced upon in the store he is alleged to have robbed. In their examination of prospective jurors, attorneys for the accused clergyman have indicated their intention to combat the burglary charge on the ground that the defendant had been invited into the store, and therefore if a crime were committed at all it would have been larceny and not burglary.

In outlining the case for the State today, the District Attorney asserted that Rev. Adams had robbed the store till twice on September 16, and that the burglary charge was based upon the first instance, when he had not been invited into the place.

Attorney Ryan, for the defense, objected strongly to proceeding along this line, declaring that the defense had been led to believe that the alleged crime had been committed just prior to the detection and apprehension of the clergyman. The court ruled that the District Attorney was proceeding properly, and granted an adjournment until tomorrow to give the defense time to readjust its plans.

MISS RUSSELL ENGAGED.

Fair Lillian Announces She Will Be Married in May to Publisher of Pittsburgh Paper.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lillian Russell, the perennially young actress, is engaged to marry Alexander P. Moore, publisher of the Pittsburgh Leader and a power in Western Pennsylvania politics.

Miss Russell said so tonight at her home over the telephone, and it was confirmed by Mr. Moore, who was calling on his fiancee. The marriage will take place in May, according to present plans.

This will be Miss Russell's fourth venture, but no one who heard her girlish giggle tonight over the telephone would believe so. She has known Mr. Moore for about ten years, she said. Reports of their coming marriage were published last May, but at that time it was denied by Miss Russell because the marriage date which had been set was so remote, she explained tonight.

PITH OF THE DAY'S NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago today was in the grip of an icy wave which brought the temperature down to 13 as the lowest mark, while the highest registered was 41 deg. The mercury is dropping rapidly tonight and predictions are that it will be near zero tomorrow morning, with the possibility that cold records of last year will be broken. Zero was the coldest recorded here last winter. The cold today, coming suddenly, has caused much suffering. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Bismarck	8	10
Cairo	34	32
Cheyenne	34	0
Cleveland	34	32
Concordia	20	4
Denver	32	2
Des Moines	8	6
Detroit	32	30
Devil's Lake	0	—16
Dodge City	20	—2
Duluth	2	—6
Helena	24	10
Huron	4	—8
Indianapolis	28	26
Kansas City	20	12
Memphis	36	30
Omaha	12	6
St. Paul	4	—2
Springfield, Ill.	24	22
Wichita	24	10

RICH MAN INDICTED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STERLING (Ill.) Dec. 27.—It developed today that Duncan McKay, one of the largest real estate owners in Galveston, Tex., had been indicted by the October grand jury on a charge of misappropriation of the money left by his father in an estate valued at nearly $3,000,000. The transactions which led to the indictment date back several years. After long litigation in the Circuit Court of Whiteside county a judgment for nearly $100,000 was issued against McKay, but before the findings were entered he left the jurisdiction of the court. Duncan Moore, a nephew of the Galveston man, then went before the grand jury and gave testimony which resulted in an indictment charging his uncle with misappropriation of practically the entire amount of the judgment entered previously. The indictment was suppressed in the hope that McKay might return to this State, it being generally understood that he was in Europe. Now, it is alleged, he has returned to the United States, but his exact whereabouts is not known.

LITTLE GIRL OPENS JAIL DOOR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—Judge Dyer in the United States District Court today set aside the remainder of the six months' sentence of William C. Rush, who three weeks ago was convicted of violating the oleomargarine statutes. Rush was released from jail after a little daughter had gone to Judge Dyer and pleaded with him to release her father in order that he might be able to attend a church entertainment and hear her make a recitation. In paroling Rush, Judge Dyer said: "I am doing this in order to cast a ray of sunshine in an unhappy home at this, the time of all times, when all men should be joyous."

CHANCE FOR NEW LIFE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 27.—Accompanied by a special escort of police, a committee of women religious workers, among them many well known socially, this afternoon visited houses in what is known as the "south redlight district" of this city in an effort to persuade the woman residents to start a new life with the new year. Each woman was offered a respectable home and a position in which she can earn an honest living. A home, to be conducted as an ordinary boarding-house, its address to be kept secret, will be provided for those women who determine to accept the offer. Conditions will be so arranged that no stigma may follow the reformed.

ATTENDS OWN LEG'S FUNERAL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—To be chief mourner at the funeral of a part of himself is to be the unusual experience of John Moes of this city, who was run over by a street car and injured so severely that the amputation of his right leg below the knee was found necessary. As soon as Moes recovered consciousness he asked for the missing limb and, to his surprise, was told that it would be disposed of. Moes objected to any form of disposal by others, and the physician in charge returned the leg. By Moes's direction the limb was placed in a casket today, taken to a vault at a local cemetery and when he has recovered it will be interred with full burial rites.

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MONGOLIA TO SECEDE.

(Continued from First Page.)

prevail under the new regime in China by means of a convention of delegates from all over the Empire, is regarded here as a shrewd move, but opinion is divided as to whether it can be carried out.

Many prominent Japanese believe the proposal will be accpeted by the revolutionary leaders in order to make it easier for Yuan Shi Kai to convince the court abdication is unavoidable.

On the other hand many of the well-informed here think the great body of the revolutionists is too impatient for action to await the tedious outcome of a national convention. The revolutionists are fully aware of the present helplessness of the Peking government. With this in mind, the rebel army at Nanking may insist on the refusal of Yuan Shi Kai's proposal and the immediate resumption of military activity. The soldiers expect Yuan will yield as gracefully as possible whenever a demonstration is made.

PREMIER TO QUIT, AND THE MANCHUS, TOO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PEKING, Dec. 27.—The Empress Dowager, Ye Ho Na La, has summoned the leading princes of the imperial clan to meet Premier Yuan Shi Kai to discuss the proposal made in the Shan Tsi conference.

It is considered not improbable that Yuan Shi Kai will endeavor shortly to withdraw from active politics, in which case the power of the Manchus will not last many weeks.

The attitude of the imperialist delegates to the Shanghai peace conference, coupled with the discontent with certain Manchu factions which profess to doubt the loyalty of Yuan Shi Kai, are the motives given for the possible retirement of the Premier.

Representative members of the imperial court have signified to the Premier their willingness to abdicate. The court, the same authority states, realizes there is no hope for it in the detention of three or four detached sections of the country and semi-loyal provinces, and hopes to obtain better terms by agreeing to the proposed referendum on the question of the form of government.

Premier Yuan fully realized the republican spokesmen gathered at the peace conference in Shanghai are not likely to accept his proposition for a carefully-elected Assembly representing the empire. He is of the opinion the republicans know the throne will favor his (Yuan Shi Kai's) plan. The Premier is certain he could win several battles with the modern army at his disposal, which is better equipped and greatly superior to the rebel forces; but, as he is unable to obtain any loans, he would be unable to reconquer the lost provinces.

Yuan Shi Kai regrets what he conafter making the best terms possible for the throne.

Yuan Shi Kai regrets what he considers to be Tang Shao Yi's desertion. He suggests that Tang Shao Yi might become President of the republic, which is an office he himself would not accept. Yuan Shi Kai also regrets foreign nations have withheld their financial support, with the help of which he could have reconquered the country.

JAPS DON'T OBJECT TO CHINESE REPUBLIC.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, Dec. 27.—The conference which was held on December 24 between the members of the Japanese Cabinet and some of the elder statesmen, decided, according to the Kokumin Shimbun and the Yamato, that in the event the Chinese rebels insist on a republic, Japan would place no obstacle in the way.

This plan is considered here as best calculated to maintain the territorial integrity of China.

Both of the newspapers mentioned are organs of Prince Katsura, formerly Premier and Minister of Finance, and who was present at the conference.

Smoked Him Out.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Tang Shao Yi informed the Chinese Six Companies by a cable that he was heartily in favor of the Republican form of government for China. The message was in answer to one sent by the Six Companies calling on the representative of Premier Yuan Shi Kai to support the Republican movement, stating that this was the only form of government wanted by the Chinese in America.

Behead Leader of Plot.

AMOY, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] A plot has been discovered among the Honanese troops in this city to assassinate Yuan, the Taotai and Choy, the military commander. The leader of the plotters has been arrested and beheaded while several of his followers are under arrest.

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Social Life in Teheran Spawns An Issue.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]
TEHERAN, Dec. 24.—Mrs. E. C. Buckley, whose headquarters are in this city, and whose pen name is Yoe Hopkins, has taken the unusual step of starting on a pamphleteering campaign against a distinguished diplomat. The highest circles of society are stirred by it in capitals as far apart as London, Paris, Rome and Teheran. The distinguished American is Lady Barclay, wife of Sir Thomas Head Barclay, British Minister to Morocco. Before her marriage Lady Barclay was Miss Beatrice Mary Hopkins of New York.

Mrs. Buckley is the divorced wife of Col. J. Buckley of London. In London last year, Capt. Buckley was granted a divorce from Yoe, as she was called, and Sir Coleridge Kennard, private secretary of the British Legation in Morocco, was named as corespondent.

Mrs. Buckley's reason for turning pamphleteer and directing her shafts against the New York woman is because Lady Barclay's daughter was married to Sir Coleridge Kennard several months ago. The pretty pamphlet brings out that, having made the seven days' journey over sea and land from London to Teheran, Lady Barclay, with an energy characteristic of American women, took up the cudgels in defence of Sir Coleridge Kennard and told Mrs. Buckley it would be better for her to leave Teheran. Lady Barclay-according to Mrs. Buckley—called three days in succession to impress this upon the American woman.

EROTIC SPECIMENS.

Mrs. Buckley gives some specimens of her broken expressions on the part of Sir Coleridge. Here are a few:

"I leave everything to gain everything."

"Every day that goes is something acquired for your sake."

"Do not tell me all and I will come with you in the face of everything."

"You are only living for you."

"We have before us our spirit life during which no one has been able to touch."

Mrs. Buckley claims to have won over to ... side the strong co-operation of Abdul Baha, the religious leader of the ... million Persians.

NOW IN PARIS.

The head of the Bahaian religion is now in Paris. And as Abdul Baha's guests, among whom are some well known Americans, are taking Mrs. Buckley's part, her fight against the New York woman and her daughter promises to develop sensations.

The Bahaists who are siding with Mrs. Buckley are Mrs. Hyppolite Dreyfus, formerly Miss Laura Barney of Washington; her sister, Miss Natalie Clifford Barney; her mother, Mrs. Alice Clifford Barney Himmeck; Mrs. ... Jackson of New York and Mrs. Sanderson of Los Angeles in Paris, and Miss Alice Getty, daughter of H. H. Getty of Chicago in Paris.

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Convicted Illinois Man Insists He Called at Hotel Door of Mound City's Wealthiest Lady Only to Pay Court to Daughter Absent in Reno.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William Steinmeyer, a wealthy Collinsville (Ill.) lumberman was fined $10 in Police Court today on the charge of trespassing at the door of the Planters Hotel apartments of Mrs. Grace Leathe, widow of Samuel H. Leathe, multi-millionaire and richest St. Louis woman.

The court held that the testimony showed him to have been in the attitude of eavesdropping.

Steinmeyer, aged 54, said he had called to see his fiancee, Mrs. Leathe's daughter, Miss Grace Wilson, aged 30, who is in Reno, Nev.

During the trial today when Steinmeyer's lawyer asked William Irvine Edwards, Mrs. Leathe's financial agent, if Edwards and Steinmeyer were not rivals for the hand of Mrs. Leathe's daughter, Grace, Edwards shouted: "No, I hate her."

Steinmeyer said he was knocking on Mrs. Leathe's door to visit Miss Wilson, when the hotel detective arrested him. He announced he would appeal to the highest court.

Dr. J. M. Sims of Collinsville, Ill., who is being sued for divorce by Lucile Wilson's sister, Nora, testified that Mrs. Leathe, before her marriage to Millionaire Leathe, had openly encouraged Lucile Wilson's betrothal to Steinmeyer; that she was trying to marry Lucile to anybody she could, and the lumberman looked mighty good until she got the Leathe fortune. Interest in the case was increased today when it was reported Mrs. Leathe has filed suit in Spencer, Ind., against James R. Henry of Indianapolis, to recover 800 acres of land which she alleges he got by stealth after she and Henry were divorced, November 14, 1903, less than two months before she married Millionaire Leathe.

Trouble over property left by Maj. Oscar B. Wilson, U.S.A., her first husband, led to her divorcing Henry and having her maiden name restored.

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HIGH FLIER BUT NO AVIATOR.

...CLES, NOT MONOPLANES, HIS FORTE.

...the Dividends Are About the ... If Not Better According to ... Police Who Say Briton ... a Charming and confiding ...

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive ...] Harry Graham Carter, a ... dudish and monocled young ... man, who succeeded in getting ... himself heralded on this side of the Atlantic as a daring aviator contemplating a monoplane flight over..., was arrested today and taken ... police headquarters on the charge ... misappropriating the funds of the ... Monoplane Company of New ...

The arrest of young Carter comes as a great shock to divers and sundry ... women, who surrendered their ... and thousands in cash to him, ... them the Countess Yolande ... Villeneuve Ribot, a young Aus... noblewoman, who is living in ... York.

It was said when the non-aviating ... arrived at police headquarters ... he had beggared the Countess ... not only depriving her of all ... money, but taking her furniture ... his flat.

The Misses Hardwicks, living in the ... are said to have suffered in ... same way through the blandishments of H. Graham Carter, and all ... while he had a wife and family ... England.

When Carter came to this country ... a year ago he was able to cut ... considerable of a social dash and exhibited splendid letters of introduction. He had, nevertheless, several ... prison terms in Nottingham, Eng., ... was wanted in Bristol, Eng., to ... on the charge of embezzlement. ... of the facts came to light un... two weeks ago.

Detectives McConville and ..., who worked up the case against ... manipulator of monocles, say he ... got off the ground in any kind ... air machine, and that his aviation ... achievements have all been in the ... of flights of fancy.

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EMPLOYEES GET BONUSES.

Steel Corporation Distributes Large Sum Among Its Men Under Profit-Sharing Plan.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The United States Steel corporation made its annual distribution to employees under its bonus plan, which has been in force nine years. The amount distributed for this year is $1,450,000.

The corporation also will offer to its employees the right to subscribe for about 25,000 shares of stock on the basis of the plan which has been in force for the period already stated. The price probably will be a little below the market.

The employees last year subscribed on the basis of 70 for the common and 114 for the preferred stock.

STEPMOTHER ON STAND.

Spectacle of Ropes With Which She Bound Girl Later Found Dead Fail to Move Her.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
OROVILLE, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Emma L. Rumball, stepmother of Helen Rumball, for whose alleged murder Arthur Lewis is on trial in the Superior Court here, was the last witness called by the defense today.

Mrs. Rumball told a circumstantial story of how she had tied her stepdaughter in the attic of their home. She had bound the girl hand and foot, she admitted, and then trussed her up to a studding. This punishment was meted out, she explained, because Helen had told an untruth. The so-called gag which is part of the evidence for the State Mrs. Rumball declared to be a piece of rag she had given Helen when her nose was bleeding.

It is the contention of the State that, while Helen Rumball was bound in the attic, Arthur Lewis, her half-brother, visited the prison room and killed her by twisting her head until her neck was broken.

Mrs. Rumball testified that, after Arthur had left the attic, she had gone to it twice and the girl was still alive. At a third visit, at 8 o'clock at night, she had found Helen dead on the floor.

The witness displayed no emotion when she identified the ropes with which she had bound the girl.

Called in rebuttal, Samuel Smith, a neighbor, testified that during part of the time when, according to Mrs. Rumball, Lewis was at the barn, he was in reality in the house with her. Smith declared that the horses which Mrs. Rumball had testified Lewis was harnessing in the barn were at pasture some distance away.

LEMON RATES DUE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Interstate Commerce Commission expects to announce its decision on the lemon rates Friday. Five hundred carriers are interested and must be notified. The commission still declines to give out any information as to the nature of the decision.

UNIONS AFTER POOR MEXICO.

Western Federation of Miners Want to Control 200,000 Men in Southern Republic.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
DENVER, Dec. 27.—A plan to unionize the 200,000 miners of Mexico will be considered by the Executive Committee of the Western Federation of Miners, which is scheduled to meet here January 4.

MRS. EVERETT'S TERRIBLE WEAKNESS

A True Picture of the Case of a Pinetown Lady, Who Was Finally Relieved by the Use of Cardui

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SAYS UNION MEN ARE RESPONSIBLE

Chicago Police Implicate Them in Train Wrecking.

Incendiary Fires at Illinois Central Shops.

Arrests of the Culprits Momentarily Expected.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "There are fourteen union men engineering a wrecking crew which is derailing Illinois Central trains as a result of the union-labor troubles at the shops in Burnside. The case, I believe, is somewhat similar to the McNamara case. I expect to cause the arrest of the guilty men in a few hours. The men implicated are not all members of the Blacksmiths' Union."

This statement was made by L. T. Mooney of the Kensington Police Station tonight.

INCENDIARY FIRE.

A fire of incendiary origin, which, for a short time, threatened to wipe out the Illinois Central shops at Burnside, originated in the dry kilns shortly before 8 o'clock tonight. Prompt arrival of special officers of the company and the fire department confined the blaze to the kilns.

This is the second mysterious fire since Saturday night. On that night about 150 feet of the fence around the buildings and two day coaches were destroyed by fire.

The police say these fires are the work of union strikers. According to statements issued tonight by the police, arrests are momentarily expected as a result of five deliberate attempts last night to wreck Illinois Central trains. The police allege either strikers who worked in the Burnside shops of the Illinois Central or "sympathizers" are responsible for the crimes.

MALLOY SUBPOENAED.

Deputy United States Marshals today subpoenaed H. J. Malloy, business agent of the Machinists' Union. Just for what purpose, they refused to disclose, but it is said he is wanted before the grand jury in Indianapolis, which is now investigating the McNamara case.

More than 100 special policemen were sent out by the Illinois Central tonight to watch for train wreckers.

PATROLMAN CONFESSES.

Admits that for Weeks He Has Been Confederate of Black Crooks in Sacramento.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 27.—When arrested today, Patrolman Arthur Shelley of a local detective agency confessed that for many weeks he had been the confederate of a gang of negro robbers, operating in this city. The others were taken into custody Sunday. He related how he last Saturday night informed Myrtle Hughes, one of the gang, that Attorney F. P. Prim of Redding was in Sacramento with considerable money in his possession, and later helped the negroes to rob Prim of $500, jewelry, diamonds and cash.

Shelley told the police that soon after going on duty as a patrolman two month ago the Hughes woman approached him, and that for money he agreed to stay away from certain localities in the lower portion of the city so she and two negro companions could commit robberies.

The negress, with Hannibal Spencer and Ernest Smith, was arrested last Sunday morning.

OTHER REBELS PERSIST.

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 27.—Magonista and Reyista supporters, who have been agitating a Mexican revolution here, have announced that the arrest of Gen. Reyes would not interfere with their plans to carry on war against Madero.

CONFESSION OF BRIDGES.

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rying seventy-two sticks of dynamite and a roll of fuse.

Bridges weakened under police questioning and the authorities declared he would make a clean breast of it when taken before a magistrate for a preliminary hearing.

Little is known of the man. He appeared at Monessen several weeks ago. Eight thousand non-union men are employed in the mills of the town.

SEATTLE MAN CALLED.

Business Agent of the McNamara Union Receives Subpoena From Los Angeles Grand Jury.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] H. W. Pohlman was summoned to appear before the Federal grand jury in Los Angeles presumably because of his position as business agent of the local union of structural ironworkers.

On August 21, 1910, some kind of an explosion wrecked the windows of the Lyons building, which was then nearing completion. The iron work had been done by non-union labor. When the news of The Times disaster was received here the theory was advanced that the persons responsible for that crime had tested the effects of dynamite on the local structure.

Before he left for the South Pohlman made a statement expressing confidence in the ability of the unions to prove that they were not implicated in the criminal activities of the McNamaras.

COLONISTS TO TESTIFY.

Tacoma Official Names Five of Them Who He Says Will Be Called to Los Angeles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA (Wash.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Deputy Prosecuting Attorney G. G. Nolte in charge of numerous prosecutions of Home Colony folk for nude bathing, gave five names today as the probable men who would be summoned before the grand jury investigating dynamite outrages in Los Angeles. He named, as what he called merely a "pretty good guess," Jay Fox, editor of the Agitator, anarchistic organ of the colony, who says he is opposed to violence and desires a peaceful utopia for his followers; Lewis Helman, secretary of the Home Colony co-operative stores, barber by profession, advocate publicly of peace "at any cost;" George Allen, school teacher, who was in trouble a few weeks ago when he refused to fly the American flag from the flag pole of his school; Hempt, a swarthy-faced anarchist leader in the colony and among the rabid faction, and Lazari, another anarchist.

In company with David Caplan it has been alleged Fox purchased a large supply of explosives from George G. Marvin, agent of the Dupont Powder Company in this city. Said Attorney Nolte today:

"We have evidence that Fox and another man left the Home Colony with a new suit case about the time the dynamite was bought. Deputy Sheriff J. M. Tillman, who is also a Burns operative, has ascertained that they took a boat for San Francisco late in September or early in October. Fox spent several weeks near Los Angeles at the time and has never explained the object of his visit satisfactorily."

THOUSANDS IDLE.

All the Mills of the Federation of Cotton Spinners Are Closed in Manchester, Eng.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MANCHESTER (Eng.) Dec. 27.—Notices were posted today at all the mills belonging to members of the Federation of Cotton Spinners in North and East Lancashire that the cloth mills closed tonight will not be reopened until further notice.

Weavers numbering 160,000 are locked out and an equal number of spinners will be reduced to half time.

The Federation of Master Cotton Spinners decided to curtail production of yarn by stopping work on three days in each week, beginning January 1, while the looms are idle.

Mrs. W. S. Moore, Nee Miss Pulitzer.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The accompanying portrait is that of Mrs. William S. Moore, who was Miss Edith Pulitzer, daughter of the late Joseph Pulitzer, well known journalist. Miss Pulitzer's marriage to William Scoville Moore took place in New York today. It was a quiet affair owing to the recent death of Mr. Pulitzer and also of the bridegroom's father, Clement C. Moore

Life's Seamy Side.

WILL CHARGE INFANTICIDE.

Auburn Woman Said to Have Killed Child.

Admits Throwing Babe from Car Window.

Brother With Her Is Held as Witness.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND (Cal.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Captain of Detectives Walter J. Peterson declared this morning that a charge of murder will be placed against Mrs. C. W. Welshorn, wife of a former Southern Pacific conductor at Sparks, Nev., following the receipt of advices last night from Auburn, Cal., that an autopsy on the body of the baby thrown from a train while passing through there has revealed that the child had been born alive.

Mrs Welshorn is confined at Fabiola Hospital, and it will be a week before she has recovered sufficiently to be taken back to Auburn.

John Rutledge, a mining man of Cortez, Placer county, is held at the County Jail as a witness. Rutledge is the brother of Mrs. Welshorn, and accompanied her to the city on the train. He denies all knowledge of the act of his sister, stating she asked him to take her to San Francisco for an operation.

Dist.-Atty. C. A. Rutledge and Sheriff George McAuley of Placer county, who came to Oakland yesterday on the case, declare the woman admitted to them that she had thrown the child from the train, but declared she did not know whether it was alive or not.

"I am sorry, but what else was I to do?" she said later. "I was coming to Oakland to go to Fabiola Hospital for treatment. It was my original intention to place the child in a home here if I could, because I had no means to rear it. I have been separated from my husband and had no income. And then rather than be a greater burden to my brother I got rid of the baby shortly after it was born."

COLONEL IS EMPHATIC.

Former President Declares He Will Not Attend New York Peace Dinner Saturday Night.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Representatives of the citizens' peace dinner, to be given Saturday night, to which President Taft, leading foreign diplomats, Andrew Carnegie and many others have accepted invitations, sought out Col. Roosevelt today, it was said, to ascertain whether the Colonel had such views on questions of peace, that he would find it inconvenient to attend the dinner.

Col. Roosevelt already had been informally invited, and to that invitation replied in a seven-page letter which Millard J. Bloomer, secretary of the Executive Committee, declined to make public today.

"Absolutely no; I shall attend no dinner," Col. Roosevelt declared today, after Mr. Bloomer had called. Col. Roosevelt added that the correspondence between himself and Mr. Bloomer on the subject would be made public Saturday.

Mr. Bloomer said the indorsement of the pending international arbitration treaties had not been specifically planned. He did not know, he added, whether President Taft and Andrew Carnegie knew this.

"The peace dinner with President Taft as the guest of honor has not been called for the specific purpose of indorsing the arbitration treaties with England and France," said Mr. Bloomer.

FLIES AMERICAN FLAG.

Red Star Liner Sails from New York with American Skipper and Carrying Stars and Stripes.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Red Star Liner Kroonland, which has sailed for three years under the Belgian flag, will henceforth fly the Stars and Stripes. Sailing today for Antwerp, the ship is in command of an American skipper with an American flag at her masthead.

The reasons for the change are not specified by the owners, but it is said that pending completion of the Panama Canal has something to do with it. The Kroonland's sister ship, the Finland, will also return to American registry within a few weeks. Probably both will later enter the American coastwise trade between Pacific and Atlantic ports via the Panama Canal.

CONDUCTOR TWICE STUNG.

Once by Current and Then for the Fares He Rang Up.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VANCOUVER (Wash.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Grasping the register bar on a trolley car in this city to record a fare, Neil Holland, a conductor, was badly shocked today and before he could be pulled from his perilous position by passengers, had rung up 108 cash fares, for which he will have to account to the company. The register had been working all right until Holland grabbed it on this occasion. The electricity in some way had gone astray through the wiring in the car and the current was flowing through the metal. When he was pulled from the register, Holland dropped to the floor exhausted and still jerking his arm as though he were ringing up fares. He is not seriously injured.

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BATTLE IN PROGRESS.

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spoiled innocent men and women. They also looted the shops. The inhabitants after extraordinary forbearance began to defend themselves and forced the Russians to evacuate the government offices.

"On December 22 the Russians bombarded the city until sunset, consternation increasing hourly. On December 23, in consequence of orders from the central government to cease fighting, the inhabitants took no steps to defend themselves, but the Russians renewed the bombardment, firing from the environs of their Consulate at women and other innocent persons. They wounded or made captives the wives and children of many respectable citizens and set fire to numerous buildings and mosques.

"The inhabitants still remained quiet on December 25, but the ferocity of the Russians greatly increased. They killed many women and children and a large number of buildings were burned by them. If tomorrow they do not desist from their savage attack, the inhabitants will be compelled to defend themselves.

"We beg you to communicate this telegram to the principal newspapers and the influential centers of Europe."

PERSIA'S REPLY.

Persia's reply to the Russian ultimatum concerning the appointment of future foreign advisers has been finally agreed on in this modified form:

"The Persian government, in view of its strong desire always to maintain cordial relations with Great Britain and Russia will, in the future be careful when engaging foreign officers for the reorganization of departments of state that an appointment be not made in a way which would be likely to injure the lawful interests of the two governments in Persia. To this end the Persian government will beforehand exchange views with the British and Russian legations at Teheran."

The latest messages from Tabriz say that foreigners there are in a bad plight. They are confined to their houses on account of the continued fighting in the streets and are running short of provisions with no prospect of obtaining a further supply.

TABRIZ MOB REPORTED DESTROYING BUILDINGS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TABRIZ (Persia) Dec. 27.—(Via St. Petersburg.) A mob of reactionaries, after demonstrations in the streets of Tabriz today destroyed the building of the Constitutional Club. They then proceeded to the residence of Shaued Dowleh, a former Cabinet Minister, and requested him to assume the administration of the province of Azerbaijan. It is reported that Shaued Dowleh agreed to accept.

PERSIANS PROTEST AT SHUSTER'S DISMISSAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TEHERAN, Dec. 27.—W. Morgan Shuster is still here, awaiting the nomination of a successor to whom he can hand over the functions of the treasurer. The populace which holds Mr. Shuster in great esteem, is much incensed against the Cabinet, because of its action in dismissing him. Many written protests have been sent to the authorities.

Dispatches from Shiraz received here, give further details of the attack on the Indian cavalry at Kaseroom. The Indian troopers were escorting W. A. Smart, British Consul at Shiraz, from Bushire to his post. In the vicinity of Kaseroom, fifty-five miles west of Shiraz, they were attacked on all sides by the Persians. A desperate fight ensued. Persians were driven off and it is believed they carried several dead and wounded with them, while the Indian cavalrymen also suffered a number of casualties, including two killed.

BISHOP TOLL CONSECATED.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Rev. William E. Toll was today consecrated suffragan bishop of the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Chicago. This makes him the third suffragan bishop in the United States, the others being of New York and Philadelphia.

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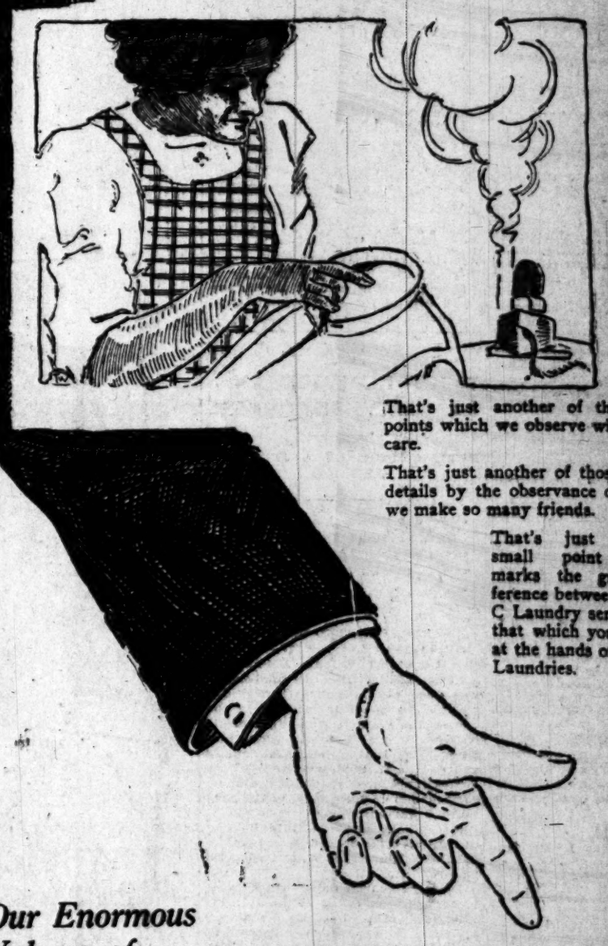

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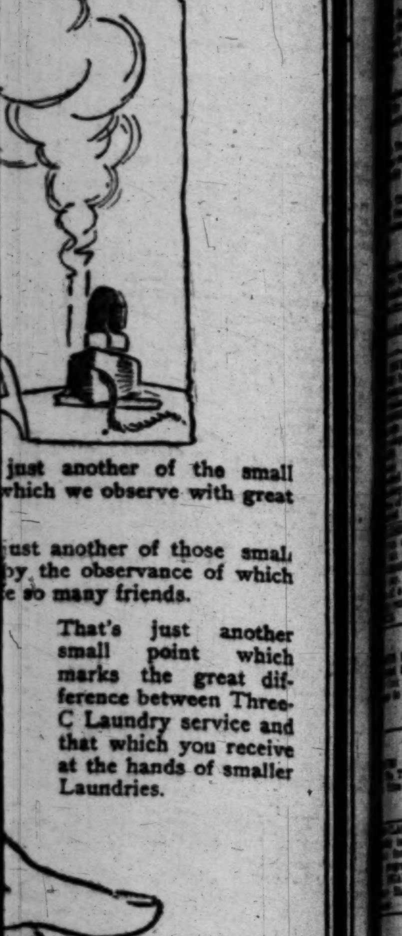

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HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
Man and wife, apartment house, $50 and apartments. Boarding house cook, Arizona, fare advanced, $75 etc. Bell and elevator boy, hotel, $30 and meals. Vegetable and pot washer, beach, $35 etc. Pantry man, hotel, $40 and meals. Dish washer, $8, $9 and meals. Second night porter, hotel, $30 and meals.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY — BOY, high-school education, to fit for coming openings in INTERNAL REVENUE AND CUSTOMS HOUSE, this district, beginning salary about $65; promotion; permanent; some preliminary work evenings necessary; bring parent with you. See MR. HOFF, 819 Security Bldg., Tuesday.

WANTED — PIANO SALESMEN. TWO competent men to cover suburban towns. Men who can furnish their own automobiles preferred. Permanent engagement and adequate compensation to the right party. Old established, well-known local store. Address, with necessary particulars, M, box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY A HALF MILLION DOLLAR corporation, a representative for Los Angeles and surrounding territory, to sell a line of high grade advertising novelties and signs. Our novelties are appropriate for every business and a live man can easily make from $3500 to $5000 a year. Exclusive territory. BASTIAN BROS. CO., Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—YOUNG AND MIDDLE-AGED men to engage in gospel work in establishing Christ's Church here on earth. Some to go out as evangelists and organize societies and erect buildings and ordain pastors, elders and deacons. For further particulars call at 740 S. FIGUEROA ST.

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY, ABLE BODied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, CANADIAN BUILDING, 432 South Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED — COMPETENT JEWELRY salesman and all-around man; one who can take full charge if necessary and command good trade. Must be acquainted with city trade and understand designing, estimating repairs, etc. Permanent position. State experience and reference. Address D, box 233, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SALESMEN TO TRAVEL, WORK store demonstration; good wages and expenses. You will have to bring references. No booze fighters accepted. Work here in city until after the holidays. Bond required. See me morning, 10 to 12. MR. GUNTER, 209 S. Main st.

WANTED—ON NEW PROPOSITION. TWO experienced magazine or newspaper solicitors. Best legitimate offer in city. Call Circulation Department, room 4, AFTON HOTEL, 533½ S. Spring. Before 10 a.m. or after 4 p.m., Sunday excepted.

WANTED — HAVE EXCELLENT POSITION open for man who is an exceptionally good solicitor. Want one who can set pace for crew. Bring references and report after 4 p.m. Sunday excepted. R. S. PACKARD, Afton Hotel, 533½ S. Spring.

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN A TRADE, pay when advanced. Automobiles, electricity, plumbing, bricklaying. Our adv. in "Learn Trades" column explains. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 658 Pacific Electric Bldg. Shops 234 Aliso st.

WANTED — MARRIED MAN 30 TO 35 years old, to take charge our Pasadena branch; must take care of team, wagon, etc. Good salary, house rent and commission. Apply ARDEN DAIRY, 1307 S. Union ave., before 12 o'clock.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG MEN FOR LIGHT, pleasant work; offer free commercial, stenographic or telegraph course in return for services; this is not janitor work. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 720 S. Broadway.

WANTED — AN ENERGETIC GROCERY salesman to call on hotels, farmers, restaurants and large consumers; salary and expenses; must furnish bond. Address N, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN OF GOOD ADdress, about 18 years old, to drive laundry wagon; one who is familiar with horses preferred; must live at home and come well recommended. Address N, box 125, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FOUR STENOGRAPHERS AND book-keepers for good positions in wholesale houses. Also positions open for salesmen in various lines. Apply MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASSN., 303 Higgins Bldg.

WANTED — GOOD STRONG LABORER TO help man around place, $2.10 per day. Also colored man or Jap to wash windows, 25c an hour. 1010 WEST 24TH. Come ready for work.

WANTED — GENERAL SALES MANAGER, must be financially responsible, organizer, capable of enthusing salesmen. Address MANAGER, 400 Monticello ave., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED REAL ESTATE man, take charge our sales department, commission basis. References required. Address N, box 194, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — COMPETENT MAN TO HANdle our realty exchanges; commissions divided. References required. Address N, box 193, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SALESMEN, FIVE MORE GOOD men for Los Angeles, to handle guaranteed Royal Vacuum Cleaners, sold at a price within reach of all. HUBERT MFG. CO., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO WORK AT automobile repairing; driving, and electrical wiring, we have large repair shop. See our ad. under "Help Wanted. Learn Trades." NATIONAL SCHOOL OF TRADES.

WANTED — JAP. CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Phones Main 2924, F2925. 124½ East Third st., near Main.

WANTED—8 OR 10 FIRST CLASS NON-UNion jobbing tinners, wages $3 to $5 per day. Steady work to first class men guaranteed. Address G, box 153, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN 15 OR 18 years old, to work in a grocery store; good steady position for right party. Call 1601 W 12TH, corner of Union ave.

WANTED — MARRIED MAN TO TAKE care of orange orchard. Must be sober and furnish good references. Call at 518 S. SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED — A MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS cleaning an automobile and choring around private home. Room, board and $17 per month. Phone WEST 1411.

WANTED — PHYSICIAN FOR OIL FIELDS. Excellent opportunity for good surgeon. Apply Room 411, BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG.

WANTED — A FIRST CLASS, A-1 SALESman. Apply to AMERICAN TAILORING CO., 260 S. Main.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER, YOUNG man who has experience in detail office work, willing to learn auto business. Call at 1233 S. FLOWER ST.

WANTED — CIGAR MAN WOULD LIKE experienced help from 12 to 4 p.m., at $6 per week. Call 321 WEST 3RD, after 4 p.m.

WANTED—GOVERNMENT WANTS EMployees. Write for list of positions open. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 12K, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—BOY FOR ALL-AROUND OFfice work, operate typewriter, assist on books, run errands on motorcycle, etc.; salary $12 per week to start. Address K, box 152, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — HIGH-CLASS STOCK SALESmen; no soliciting. We furnish you leads. Big money to right party. See STEELE, 209 S. Main st.

WANTED — BARBER, STEADY; ONE Saturday-Sunday. FIRST AND SPRING, under Bank.

WANTED—PRESSMAN AND FEEDER, AT GAARDER'S, 107½ N. Main. Also boy with wheel.

WANTED—PICTURE PLAY WRITERS. Big pay. We'll teach you. PICTURE PLAY ASSOCIATION, San Francisco.

WANTED—STRONG MAN FOR GROCERY wagon, one not afraid of work or rain. PHONE 59287.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN ASSISTANT BOOKkeeper, $50 to start. PACIFIC SERVICE CO., 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED — PHOTOGRAPHIC CALLER, good pay, steady position to good man. 1635½ WALL. Take Maple car.

WANTED — 25 BUILDERS AT ONCE, TO locate in Van Nuys. Also carpenters, bricklayers and plasterers. Call 319 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—A COAT OPERATOR; STEADY work. Apply SCOTCH TAILORS, 350 S. Spring.

WANTED—GOOD REED WORKER. CALL at 1411 E. 39TH ST. Chas. Roether.

WANTED — PAINTER, A FIRST-CLASS, live man. 4007 S. PARK AVE.

WANTED— Help, Male.

WANTED—
Experienced salesmen for table linens, bed linens and bedding, sheetings, domestics, etc., etc. Apply at once, Superintendent's office.
JACOBY BROS.

WANTED — JANITOR AND WIFE FOR school; 4 extra buss boys; 3 buss boys, $30, found; 1 porter, $35, found; 1 kitchen porter, $40, found; 2 waiters for club; 2 dish washers, 1 houseman. TOURIST EMP. OFFICE, 145 S. Spring, Room 225.

WANTED — SALESMEN OF ABILITY TO represent an up-to-date casualty company, writing all forms of employer's liability, accident and health, plate-glass and burglary insurance. The right party can secure a liberal contract. Address N, box 167, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A SINGLE YOUNG MAN. Must be strong and not afraid to work. Must write a good hand and be fairy accurate at figures. State fully your past experiences and your references. Will pay good wages and an opportunity for advancement. Address N, box 180, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—UP-TO-DATE MAN AND WIFE to take charge of high class apartment house, this city. Must be of good address and thoroughly reliable and come well recommended. Not over 40 years old. No children. Address N, box 88, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SALESMEN TO SELL LIQUID fuel heating stoves. Heat your room for five cents per day; cheapest fuel California has ever known. ECONOMY SPECIALTY CO., 119½ S. Spring st., Room 19. Phone F2919.

WANTED — TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAurant Employment Agency, 211½ W. 2nd st. Cooks, waiters, porters, buss boys, pantrymen, kitchen helpers, silver, glass, dish washers, etc. Call TUCKER'S.

WANTED — REAL ESTATE SALESMAN. We have an opening for a young man experienced in handling business property in this city. No others need apply. ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO., 508 Trust & Savings Bldg.

WANTED — FIRST CLASS REAL ESTATE man of experience, to take charge of exchange department. Apply at once. FRED E. EDMISON CO., 607 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

WANTED — HIGH CLASS REAL ESTATE salesman to work on commission basis. We can use an experienced man only. Good opportunity. FRED E. EDMISON CO., 607 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

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WANTED — MAN AND WIFE TO TAKE hold of small cafe, all furnished and running. This is good proposition for cook and waitress. Call TUCKER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. 2nd st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHAUFFEUR to drive car nights in the rent business; must thoroughly understand car and be acquainted with city; no amateurs need apply. Address N, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED book-keeper, prefer a man over 30 years and one who understands the hardware, plumbing or similar lines. State qualifications and salary expected. Address N, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED MEAT wrapper, must write a good plain hand; $15 a week to start. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 145 S. Spring, Room 225.

WANTED—COMMANDANT FOR MILITARY school. Must be college graduate. If you are not an experienced teacher and military instructor, do not apply for position. Apply M, box 347, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOTEL HELP, COOKS, $12, $14, $16; waiters, $45, $35, fd.; buss and porter, $9; storeroom man, $50, meals; bells, $25. HARKNESS & HUNTER, 224 S. Spring, Room 408.

WANTED—30 FIRST-CLASS PLASTERERS good on cornice work, for out-of-town job, wages $5.50. Apply F. O. ENGSTRUM CO., 450 Seaton st.

WANTED—OFFICE BOY, ABOUT 17 OR 18; large wholesale house. Excellent chance for promotion. Address N, box 26, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A SALESMAN TO HANDLE A good side line, for a local house, on a commission basis only. Address N, box 52, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CLERKS FOR German delicatessen and lunch room, experienced men only need apply. 312 SOUTH MAIN.

WANTED—WASH MAN, MAN WITH SOME experience, flat washing and ring. Apply ROYAL LAUNDRY CO., 465 South Raymond, Pasadena.

WANTED — DRUG CLERK, REGISTERED assistant; trustworthy, reliable and willing to work, good position for right man. Address M, box 362, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CARRIER FOR TIMES ROUTE. Must be a good strong boy or man. Phones MAIN 5392, HOME 54118.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED REAL ESTATE salesman for suburban and country property. Give age, experience, references. Address N, box 179, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MIDDLE AGED GERMAN OR Swede, to care for grounds and be generally useful. Good home. CHAS. B. MULLALY, Altadena.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED REPAIRman on talking machines. State experience and salary expected. Address N, box 165, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN THE WHOLEsale hat business, $4 a week to start. Address, own handwriting, N, box 166, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CARPENTERS TO BUILD rough shed and concrete forms, by the job. BARNES, 314 Stimson Bldg.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS EXCHANGE men, for real estate. H. L. MILLER & CO., 224 West Sixth.

WANTED — CARPENTER TO BUILD GArage. Call at 594 WINDEMERE AVE. Take Heliotrope Drive car, get off at Clinton.

WANTED—CARRIER FOR TIMES ROUTE, close in. Phone 23945, or see MR. SHAKLEY at Times Office.

WANTED — FIRST CLASS BUSHELMAN and presser for country; steady work. Apply DETMER WOOLEN CO., 325 W. 7th.

WANTED — PROFESSIONAL AND AMAteur moving picture people for stock company. Address N, box 137, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN FOR GENERAL PORTER work around hotel. Address E. C. ADAMS, El Segundo, Cal.

WANTED — BOYS 16 YEARS OF AGE TO work evenings from 7 to 10 p.m. Inquire evenings, 1318 SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED — CYLINDER PRESS FEEDERS. Call GEORGE RICE & SON, 303 E. Fourth st.

WANTED—HUSTLER FOR REAL ESTATE office, experience unnecessary, $100 monthly, easy. Address N, box 388, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CLERK IN OFFICE OF IRON works, boy about 18 years of age desired. See MR. PENNYPACKER, 950 N. Broadway.

WANTED—PLUMBER TO FIGURE PLANS. Plenty work if price right. Call 410 DELTA BLDG.

WANTED — BOYS WITH WHEELS, INquire E. W. REYNOLDS CO., 342 South Broadway.

WANTED—JOB PRESS FEEDER. IMPROVED SALESBOOK CO., 236 Aliso st.

WANTED—DELIVERY BOY WITH WHEEL. B. & B. DRUG CO., Pico and Figueroa.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COAT FINISHers. Apply 258 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PIPE FITTER, at 2426 W. SEVENTH.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN TO join corporation; a chance to get in on the ground floor, where you can double your money within a few months. Investigate this as it will interest you. 307 W. EIGHTH ST. Main 2196.

WANTED — OSTEOPATHY PHYSICIAN TO join corporation; opening hot springs health resort, near Los Angeles; one who can take charge as a physician. Exxcellent opportunity. Investment required, $1000. See MR. COOPER, 307 W. Eighth st.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, LADY OR gentleman for manufacturing concern, splendid opening with advancement for business people. 218 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED—SALESLADY FOR STORE WORK. Prefer one with $500 idle cash. State experience and phone number. Address N, box 396, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF stage line near Los Angeles, $500 cash required which is secured by forty-horse-power, seven-passenger automobile. Call 307 W. 8TH.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOTEL MANager for new hotel in San Joaquin Valley. $10,000 required. Call 831 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED— Help, Female

WANTED — GIRL GOING TO SCHOOL TO work for room and board; 2 in family; good home to right party. 3497 EAGLE STREET. Home 41322.

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST WITH GENeral housework; 3 in family; wages $20. PHONE 73879.

WANTED — CHAMBERMAIDS AT NEW HOTEL BROADWAY, 207 N. Broadway.

WANTED— Help, Female.

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WANTED—
Young women from 17 to 25 years of age, who desire permanent positions as telephone operators; those having high school education preferred. Salary $1 per day, paid while learning, and increased as work becomes efficient. Quiet, secluded work. Rest room and library at disposal of employees. Lunches furnished at cost.
PACIFIC TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.,
Room 1, Sixth Floor, Eshman Bldg.
321 W. Seventh st., bet. Hill and Broadway.

WANTED—
Experienced saleswomen for coats, suits, waists, notions, undermuslins, laces, embroideries, domestics, white goods, table linens, bed linens, sheetings, general departments. Girls for aisle tables and bundle wrappers. Apply at once, Superintendent's office.
JACOBY BROS.

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Experienced saleswomen for cloaks, suits and all ladies' ready-to-wear departments. Apply at once, Superintendent's office.
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WANTED—YOUNG AND MIDDLE-AGED LAdies to engage in gospel work in establishing Christ's Church here on earth. Some to go out as evangelists and organize societies. For further particulars, call at 740 SOUTH FIGUEROA.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED PRESS MAchine hands. DIAMOND LAUNDRY, 241 E. Fifth.

WANTED — FOREWOMAN FOR LADIES' clothes ironing department. Must be a thoroughly experienced ironer and a good manager of help. Apply EXCELSIOR LAUNDRY, 424 South Los Angeles.

WANTED—A HIGH CLASS STOCK SALESWOMAN, AN ATTRACTIVE PROPOSITION FOR ONE CAPABLE OF GETTING RESULTS. LEADS FURNISHED. CALL 610 MAJESTIC THEATER BLDG. PHONE F6773.

WANTED—A WHITE WOMAN TO WASH, iron and clean house, Mondays and Tuesdays. Must have experience. Address N, box 386, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MAID FOR cooking and general house work, family of 2, $25, $30 per month. 456 LUCAS AVE. Phone 52719.

WANTED—HOTEL HELP, 9 WAITRESSES, $30, $25, board and room if desired; office fee $1. Woman cook, cafe, $40, $45. HARKNESS & HUNTER, 224 S. Spring, Room 408.

WANTED — STRONG WILLING GIRL FOR general house work and small washing, bungalow, small family. 142 S. DILLON ST. Bimini line. Wilshire 1040.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WHO CAN operate switchboard, telegraph operators; dry goods clerks, out of town; stenographer and book-keeper, out of town, $10. Apply 303 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—A NEAT YOUNG GIRL TO ASsist in general housework, small family, good home to right party. 730 ARDMORE AVE. Phone 53699.

WANTED—ENERGETIC SALESLADY WITH experience in ladies' garments; permanent position. Apply before 10 a.m. NURSES' and STUDENTS' OUTFITTING CO., 618 West Pico.

WANTED—A COMPETENT WOMAN TO DO cooking and downstairs work in private family; wages $35. Apply 1251 S. ANDREWS PLACE. Phone 73230.

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST WITH HOUSEwork and children; good wages; must be clean and willing; pay car fare. 2348 W 21ST ST.

WANTED—SOME ONE TO ASSIST IN light work in exchange for warm room and board; not afraid to stay alone some evening. 1222 CRENSHAW BLVD. Pico Heights car. Phone 71348.

WANTED—GIRL TO GO OUT IN COUNTRY and work on oil lease; general house work; family of 3; $35 a month and car fare. Apply 2136 ESTRELLA.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Mrs. Serrurier, Altadena. Maiden Lane and East Mariposa. HOME PHONE 1114 Pasadena.

WANTED—PROFESSIONAL AND AMATEUR moving picture people, for stock company. Address N, box 139, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — NEAT GIRL, NOT OVER 25 years old, to answer 'phone and care for reception room; salary $5. Address N, box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — COMPETENT LAW STENOGrapher; must be first-class; $75 per month. STENOGRAPHERS' ASSOCIATION, 418 Exchange Bldg., corner Third and Hill.

WANTED—LADY IN DOCTOR'S OFFICE; some knowledge of book-keeping and typewriting; salary $8. Address N, box 336, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL, ASSIST WITH housework, family of adults. 3441 SOUTH FLOWER.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS FLORIST, MAN or woman. If you don't understand the business don't apply. 130 EAST COLORADO ST., Pasadena.

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WANTED — GIRL FOR COOKING AND housework. Apply at 2672 S. VERMONT AVENUE.

WANTED — OFFICE GIRL 16 TO 18. NO experience necessary. Salary $15 a month, with excellent opportunity for advancement for bright girl. Inquire for MISS HENDERSON, 624 Pacific Electric Bldg.

WANTED—A WHITE GIRL, FAMILY OF 3; small bungalow, laundry; wages $25. Call WEST 3150.

WANTED — A GOOD WOMAN FOR HALF day, chamber work in exchange for housekeeping suite. Call afternoons. 715 W. 8TH.

WANTED—LADY CLOTHES IRONERS AND mangle girls. Apply QUALITY LAUNDRY 1518 Paloma ave.

WANTED — COMPETENT HOUSE WORK girl, family 3 adults. Call 972 ARAPAHOE ST.

WANTED — A COMPETENT NURSE MAID to care for 2 small children. Wages $25. PHONE 73131.

WANTED—A COOK FOR RANCH, TRANSportation furnished. Call between 10 and 11; wages $25. 312 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

WANTED — 25 GIRLS TO PACK OLIVES. Inquire AMERICAN OLIVE CO., East Adams st. and Long Beach ave.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN TO do general house work, small family; $25. G. W. DRYDEN, 2207 Speedway, Venice.

WANTED — MIDDLE AGED WOMAN TO cook for 2 men on ranch. Address N, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A GIRL FOR COOKING AND general housework. 927 NORMANDIE AVE. Phone 556119.

WANTED — A HOUSEKEEPER, NICE APpearance between the age of thirty and forty-five years. Address N, box 35, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WE WANT FEMALE HELP OF all kinds, places for housegirls and chambermaids at good wages. THE STANDARD, 307 S. Broadway. Rooms 41-42.

WANTED — COMPETENT GERMAN GIRL for general house work; good place; good wages. Phone WILSHIRE 1369. 942 Grand View st.

WANTED—A LADY VIOLINIST AND CELLO for out of city at once. Call at 739 S. HILL. Phone Broadway 2995.

WANTED — 50 EXPERIENCED MANGLE girls. Apply at LOS ANGELES LAUNDRY CO., 631-7 San Fernando st.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED CORSET SALESWOMAN AND FITTER, 749 SOUTH BROADWAY. TERRILL.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CASHIER and wrapper for dry goods store; must be experienced. Address N, box 182, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS HAIR GOODS saleslady at once. CORENSON HAIR CO. 119½ S. Broadway.

WANTED — LAUNDRESS FOR A CHILdren's home, $30 a month, board and room. Apply 1511 W. 23RD ST.

WANTED — ONE MIDDLE AGED WOMAN for general housework and plain cooking. MRS. M. GRAND, 461 Lake st. Phone 52122.

WANTED — STRONG GIRL TO ASSIST with housework and care of two children; $15 per month. Phone WEST 2449.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY TO ASSIST IN housekeeping and care of children. Apply 441 N. HOBART BLVD.

WANTED — GIRL OR WOMAN FOR housework, no laundry; good home, small wages. Edendale car. 2237 CLIFFORD ST.

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—AT HOLLYWOOD, YOUNG WOMen from 17 to 25 years of age, who desire permanent positions as telephone operators. Those having high school education preferred; salary paid while learning and increased as work becomes efficient, quiet, secluded work; rest room at disposal of employees. PACIFIC TEL. & TEL. CO., Room 1, Sixth Floor, Eshman Bldg., 321 W. 7th st., between Hill and Broadway.

WANTED — FAMILY WAITRESS, $35. Cook and second maid, suburbs, $35, $30; family cook, Altadena, $40; 3 others, Pasadena, $40 each; another, Hollywood, $40, employer in office this a.m.; 2nd maid, city, $35; 2 others, $30; cook, little housework, Riverside, $40; girl for mixed work, small place, oil fields, $35 etc.; woman for cleaning and light laundry, small institution, city, $30, $35; chambermaid, $8 week; housegirl, orange grove, Riverside, $35; 2 others, $30 each; housegirl, 3 in family, Coalinga, $30; housegirls, many desirable places, city and country, $40 to $15. MRS. PATTEN'S EMP. OFFICE, 218 S. Broadway.

WANTED — TUCKER'S HOTEL, RESTAURANT Employment Agency, 211½ W. 2nd st. Cook and wife, small city hotel, 17 people, $65, found; waitresses, hotels, cafes, restaurants, $25, $30, found; $8, $9 week; waitress, Flagstaff, Ariz., fare paid, $35, found; 5 kitchen women, $25, found; also $6 week; 2 chambermaids, nice family hotel, $25, found; chambermaids, all kinds, hotels, rooming houses, $25, found, $35 month, $8 week; waitresses, delicacy store. Call TUCKER'S.

WANTED — 50 EXTRA WAITRESSES FOR Pasadena; 1 waitress for oil fields, $35, found; 4 chambermaids for first-class hotel, $25, found; country; 2 chambermaids for Catalina; 8 hotel waitresses, city and country, $25, found; 3 side-hall waitresses; 2 officers hall waitresses; 1 waitress for Yuma; 2 pantry women; 2 women for general housework. TOURIST EMP. OFFICE, 145 South Spring, Room 227.

WANTED—
Assistant buyer and manager for art needlework department; also assistant buyer and manager of leather bag and belt department. Apply at once. JACOBY BROS.

WANTED — ALTERATION HANDS TO work on ladies' coats; only experienced persons need apply to Manager of alteration department. VILLE DE PARIS.

WANTED—PASTRY COOK, CAFETERIA, beach, $12 a week; second cook, cafeteria, city, $10 a week; serving girls, cafeteria, $6 a week; 2 waitresses, Arizona, $30 etc.; 2 waitresses, cafe, beach, $8 a week and found; waitress, small country restaurant, to act as cashier $25, etc.; chambermaid, rooming-house, $25 and room; clerk delicacy store, $20 and found; housegirls, $20 etc. to $40 etc. HUMMEL BROS & CO., 116 East Second st.

WANTED—JANITRESS, OFFICE BUILDing, housekeeper for gentleman, $25 month; cook, 4 men, ranch, $30; cook, first-class family, $40; cook and second maid, $40, $35; chambermaid, $35 to $40; waitresses, $25 etc.; housegirls, many good places, $25 to $40. Call early.
SWEDISH and GERMAN BUREAU.
101½ South Broadway.

WANTED—GIRLS, COME WHERE THE jobs really are. 3 hotel waitresses, $25 found; restaurant, $8, six days; mixed work, $25 found; 8 chambermaids, $25; 2 first-class chambermaids, $25 found; housework, $40, $35, $30, $25; old lady nurse, $5 per week; serving girls. All kinds female help. ACME EMPLOYMENT, 331½ S. Spring.

WANTED — CHAMBERMAIDS FOR LARGE and small hotels, experienced and inexperienced cafeteria servers; general house girls; young girls to assist in small families, good place for A1 house girl, $40; no washing; arm and tray waitresses. CRYSTAL EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 452½ S. Broadway, Room 34.

WANTED—4 LADY SOLICITORS TO WORK city among business men; high-class proposition; big commission paid; permanent work if can produce results. Apply between 12 and 2 at 603 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COOK AND house worker in a family of three adults; none but first-class with references need apply. Wages $40 per month. Address N, box 129, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SEVERAL EXPERIENCED house to house canvassers, to demonstrate and take orders for article handled by grocery trade, salary and car fare. Apply Saturday a.m. at Room 634 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

WANTED—NEAT APPEARING YOUNG OR middle aged lady to travel for business house; attractive salary and expenses; expenses advanced at first-class hotels. Call and let us explain. 726 S. HOPE.

WANTED — COLLAR GIRL, EXPERIENCED girl on ironing, shaping and starching collars. Apply ROYAL LAUNDRY CO., 465 S. Raymond ave., Pasadena.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR cooking and some downstairs work; five in family; wages $40; references. Address N, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WOMAN TO DO GENERAL housework in small family at 928 SUNBURY AVE. Phone Home 52001.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED CHAMbermaid. Apply HOTEL AFTON, 533½ S. Spring st.

WANTED — SCHOOL GIRL, WORK FOR room and board; lady alone most of time; company evenings main object; good home. 3497 EAGLE ST. 41322.

WANTED — GIRL FOR COOKING AND light housework; small house; 3 in family. Good home with steady place; wages $25. 470 HARVARD BLVD. Phone 56241.

WANTED—STRONG, EXPERIENCED WOMan, Westlake home; general housework; good home; $30; reference. 942 CARONDELET. 51328.

WANTED — HOUSEKEEPER FOR FAMILY of 3 adults; sickness; Christian Scientist preferred. Address N, box 100, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PICTURE PLAY WRITERS. Big pay. We'll teach you. PICTURE PLAY ASSOCIATION, San Francisco.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO WORK FOR the Davis Soap Co., $15 to $18 per week to right parties. Call 730 S. FIGUEROA.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN TO COOK AND do downstairs work; some washing, $35 per month; references. HOME PHONE 54762.

WANTED — TEACHERS, GRAMMAR grades; California certificated. PACIFIC TEAHERS' AGENY, 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT housework. 907 EAST 3RD, Room 2.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE, ORCHARD and cook, $60; man and wife, orange ranch, $50, house; man and wife, janitors, $60, etc. SWEDISH AND GERMAN BUREAU, 101½ South Broadway.

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE TO WORK 15 acres ranch, 8 miles from Los Angeles; house, horse, buggy, etc., furnished. Address N, box 175, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MAKE MONEY WRITING stories, or for papers; big pay; send for free booklet; tells how. UNITED PRESS SYNDICATE, San Francisco.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS AT NATIONAL DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh, to learn automobile repairing, driving on up-to-date cars. We operate the largest repair shop in Southern California, where students get the benefit of overhauling and repairing all makes of cars. We also teach electrical engineering and surveying by practical methods. After you have wasted time and money with our imitators, you will have to come to our school to learn the trade properly, as many others have done. We furnish positions to graduates. Also places to work for room and board after school hours. Come interview our students. Catalogue free.

WANTED — GROWN MEN AND STRONG boys; no expense to learn electricity, automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, practical work, not theory or toys; we have no competition because we do actual work on contract jobs, and pay advanced workmen. 23 jobs going now, 1200 students last 5 years; only few months required. Catalogue free. UNITED TRADE SCHOOL CONTRACTING CO., 658 Pacific Electric Bldg. Shops 234 Aliso st.

WANTED—AT ONCE, 50 MEN TO LEARN automobile repairing and driving; individual instruction given to each man; good position assured to all who learn; only a small amount of money required. Come now, 1915 HOOVER ST., corner Washington. Open day and evening. Home phone 24177.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN barber trade, tools furnished free, wages while learning, position guaranteed. INTERNATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL CO., 429 E. 5th st.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Courses.)

WANTED — STUDENTS, $5.00 MONTH, "Gregg" shorthand, book-keeping; touch typewriting, classroom or home study. NATIONAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, 508 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN BY the California School of Motion Picture Acting, to perfect themselves in the motion picture field. Call and investigate. ROOM 301, Henne Bldg., 122 W. Third, between 10 and 4.

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS, RAILWAY MAIL clerks, postoffice and department clerks; exceptional opportunity right now. MR. HOFF, 819 Security Bldg.

WANTED—SHORTHAND IN THIRTY DAYS. Gregg or Stidger; telegraphy; stenography; book-keeping; grade work; Spanish, English; S. P. wires in school. Main 4794. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 720 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE OUR NOVelties at home. 119 RINDGE BLDG. 254 S. Broadway.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED — SITUATION, SALESMAN, 9 years on road here, well and very favorably known to drug, stationery and department store trade, energetic and capable, open for position; house, city, road or northern territory. Address C, box 289, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERT STENOGRAPHER, 7 years' legal railroad commercial experience; exceptionally speedy shorthand and typewriting, desires permanent position; resident of Los Angeles; no tourist. Address D, box 237, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WILL MAKE SMALL INVESTment in good going concern where there is an opening for a position. Have had traveling salesman's experience. Also have auto, which I will use in business if necessary. Address N, box 377, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION, CHAUFFEUR, A strictly reliable driver, best of character, do own repair, city or country prefer. Address D, box 239, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — A SITUATION, BY GERMAN gardener; sober; understands flowers and vegetables; can give best of reference. Address C, box 288, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS BOOK-KEEPER and office man, wants a position, January 1st; can give best of references from past and present employers. Salary no object until after a demonstration. Address D, box 234, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 22, DESIRES POsition as stenographer or clerk, 2 years' experience; moderate salary. Address D, box 231, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — WELL EDUCATED SINGLE man of 29, wants position on ranch; experienced in farming and engineering. Address D, box 232, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERhanging, by day or contract, by competent mechanics; references. Phone Home 2584. 738 KOHLER.

WANTED—A-1 CAMP COOK WISHES POSItion with survey party or mines, first-class on pastry and bread. Address N, box 73, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WE FURNISH ALL KINDS male help.
ACME EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
Main 1102. 331½ South Spring st. F6063.

WANTED—NEED ANY JAPANESE HELP. Call or Write.
SUMI'S JAPANESE EMP. CO.
240 E. Second st. Main 2684. A4121.

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS book-keeper and general office man; 20 years' experience, A1 references. Phone SOUTH 4817.

WANTED — SITUATION BY CHAUFFEUR, who is thoroughly competent with private family, city or country, many years of experience; make himself useful. Address N, box 187, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST - CLASS cook, desires situation; thoroughly experienced, highly recommended. ITO'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 940 S. Hill st. 64222; Main 8040.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER AND GENeral office position; no objection to mining camps or the desert. A1 references. Address N, box 328, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION, BY MAN WITH team, caring for orange ranch; must have fair house, also small pay. 4590 MARMION WAY. 31471.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, 28, GERMAN, REliable and sober, careful driver, with three years' driving experience, desires position; can furnish best of local reference. HOME A2916.

WANTED — YOUNG GERMAN, SPEAKING French, Spanish, Italian, Russian and English, competent to teach German, French, seeks position, "polyglotte." Address N, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — LAWNS PUT, CUT RATE, guarantee to every job; also gardening in general. Address Y. M. CO., 422 S. Flower st. Phone Bdwy. 2242.

WANTED—POSITION, BY EXPERIENCED blacksmith's helper and horse shoer, by sober man. Call 421 WALL ST., Room 10. Phone Bdwy. 1188.

WANTED — A POSITION AS COOK ON ranch, family or mining company. WONG & YEE, care ONG TONG, No. 328 Napier st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED — SITUATION, A-1 CLOTHING, furnishing goods and shoe salesman, (employed,) desires change January 1. Best of references. Address N, box 146, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AM A GOOD BOOK-KEEPER and stenographer and can make good; city references; salary moderate to start. Address M, box 352, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ACCOUNTING BOOKS OPENED and closed; auditing; books kept by hour, day, week or month. Phone 28505. JOHN TRIMBLE, 5600½ Moneta ave.

WANTED—NICE JAPANESE WANTS SITUAtion in family; do fancy cooking; wages $40 up. 123 HILL ST. A3545.

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WANTS POSItion, cook, housework, in family. FRANK, Phone Main 4541. 225 S. Hill st.

WANTED—POSITION BY CHAUFFEUR AT present driving in the rent; would like private position. Address N, box 191, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION IN GARAGE WHERE there is chance for advancement, three years' experience in that line, $12 per week. Address N, box 177, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — LIGHT WORK BY MAN (30) with good references. Address N, box 170, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION ON ALFALFA OR fruit ranch, by young man, German, experienced. Address N, box 161, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY GARDENER, private family, good references, take care of horses and chickens. Address N, box 149, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WORK AS NIGHT WATCH, drug clerk or anything in that line; references furnished. Address N, box 148, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY CHINAMAN, POSITION AS family cook. Address D, box 227, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION ON PRIVATE place, care of lawn and auto, city references. Address N, box 333, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY MALE NURSE, POSITION, either in or out of the city; strong, intelligent, competent. Address N, box 385, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THE CARE OF AN EPILEPTIC by an intelligent, competent man, who has had experience; no objection to traveling. Address N, box 387, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN, PLACE TO work for room and board in private family after school and Saturdays. PHONE 53401.

WANTED—JAPANESE STAR EMPLOYMENT Agency, all kinds of good help. HOME A5323, MAIN 4390. 637 W. 6TH.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS SITUAtion; European and American experience. Address L, box 138, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GERMAN, EXPERIENCED gardener, day, week, work. 625 S. HARTFORD AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED — A JAPANESE SCHOOL BOY wants position in small family. GOSUKE TANAKE, 527½ E. First st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED — SITUATION WITH PRIVATE family, about house, by colored man. 2113 SANTA FE AVE. Broadway 3721.

WANTED—GERMAN JANITOR WANTS POsition. 625 S. HARTFORD AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED—COMMERCIAL SALESMAN, 25 years' experience, ability proven; references. No insurance or stocks. Address K, box 157, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION. YOUNG MAN would like work evening, clerking preferred. Address N, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, GOOD DRIVER and repair man and good reference; age 27. Address N, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION, BY FIRST-CLASS Chinese cook, country or city. 109½ COMMERCIAL ST.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY CHAUFFEUR, handy around private place, steady and reliable. Address N, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION, BY FIRST CLASS colored cook, long experience, good reference. Address 675 EAST 13TH ST.

WANTED — A JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS laundry boy, wants position in a private family. TOM NAKAMURA, Home F2628.

WANTED — FOR CARPENTER WORK OF any kind call me up. Good finisher. F. W. SMITH, 650½ S. Los Angeles st. Phone Broadway 2884.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED — AT LIBERTY, JAN. 1; Capable all-around business man, well and favorably known in local business circles, seeks high class connection. Address P. O. BOX 999.

WANTED—ANY JAPANESE HELP? RING UP
A2079; BROADWAY 2869.
JAP. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
307 E. First street.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, AGE 24; OF good appearance, steady driver, running repairs, speaks four languages, having traveled all over Europe, seeks position, best of city references, interview solicited. Address M, box 327, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — HIGH-CLASS ACCOUNTANT and financial executive will be open for engagement January 1, 1912, possibly earlier; 3 years' local experience; best local references; any bond; very valuable man for large corporation. Address XX, box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY A FIRST-CLASS meat cutter, with 14 years' experience, six years in Los Angeles. 32 years of age, will give A1 references. Address N, box 197, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR BY eastern young man, 21 years of age, experienced along automobile and mechanical lines. College education. Best of references as to character. Address N, box 196, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION AS COLLECTOR, BY young man, 21 years of age, good references. Address T. J. HARRIS, 1117 W. 30th. Phone West 2044.

WANTED — SCOTCHMAN, INTELLIGENT, applicable, age 23 years, height 6 ft., 2 years gardener on private estate in New York, seeks similar employment or on large citrus grove, good worker and quick to learn. Best references. JAMES CROMBIE, 1670 W. 20th st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—SITUATION, IN PRIVATE FAMily, by industrious and sober man, 25; to do good plain cooking, laundry and housework, etc.; references. Address N, box 7, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN, NO CHILDREN, would like to take charge of large apartment or rooming-house or small ranch. References. C. SNOW, 727 W. 7th st. Phone Broadway 2821.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, NEAT APPEARance and of good pleasing address; wants position as collector; will furnish bonds or references. Address N, box 383, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AM EXPERIENCED IN THE real estate business, am 45; want a situation on commission by the first of the year; sober and a hustler. Address D, box 229, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — BAKER AND PASTRY COOK wants position in bakery or restaurant or cafeteria, city. FRANK FRIBAS, 214 Bunker Hill ave.

WANTED—MAN WANTS WORK ON PRIvate place, care flowers, garden and horse; city, country. V. A. STEFANKEWICH, 403½ Crocker st.

WANTED—A YOUNG MARRIED MAN DEsires a position on farm, handy with all kinds of tools. Address N, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION IN GENERAL STORE or grocery, by man with 5 years' experience; cash bond or references furnished. Call 535 E. FIFTH, Long Beach.

WANTED — PAINTING BY THE JOB. Address B, box 269, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY CHAUFFEUR, young, reliable married man; references. Address M, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, tinting, low price, good work. PHONE 21121.

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED — SITUATION, MIDDLE-AGED woman as cook and downstairs work; or to take charge in small family. Thoroughly competent. No washing. $30. Give phone number. Address D, box 246, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WELL-EDUCATED YOUNG ENGlish woman desires position as nursery governess; best of references. Pasadena or Los Angeles. Address K. IVES, 998 San Pasqual, Pasadena.

WANTED—LADY OF MIDDLE AGE, CHRIStian Scientist, desires position as housekeeper in widower's family of same belief. Address N, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A YOUNG, NEAT APPEARING lady wishes position in doctor's or dentist's office. Can also do office work. Address N, box 185, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY MIDDLE AGED woman as housekeeper for elderly couple or small family; no objection to country or beach. Address N, box 172, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER by capable, efficient young woman where services of refined person are required. Address N, box 171, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SPANISH AND ENGLISH STENographer, book-keeper and translator, desires position. Address N, box 394, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MIDDLE AGED woman in private family, as cook and general house work. Address N, box 390, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG GERMAN WOMAN wants work by the day; washing or housework. Address D, box 245, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WISHES housework, nursing. 936 E. FIRST ST. Glinn Hotel. Georgia Farris.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL WANTS second word in west side district. WILSHIRE 1204.

WANTED — WIDOW OF REFINEMENT wishes position as housekeeper in refined home; excellent cook and manager; references. Address C, box 286, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CAN YOU USE A GOOD STEnographer and book-keeper, A-1 in every respect? Best references. Will start reasonable. Address M, box 349, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GERMAN GIRL, GOOD COOK wants position for cooking and light housework, where no other servants are employed. Address N, box 136, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GOOD PRACTICAL NURSE wishes care elderly person, invalid or children. 3419 TALLMAN ST.

WANTED — POSITION BY TWO FIRST-class colored girls, general housework or chamber work; $35 to $40 per month. BOYLE 456.

WANTED — NEAT HOUSEKEEPER, NICE cook wants position in small family. PHONE forenoon, A5185.

WANTED — YOUNG WOMAN WANTS TO keep house for lady or gentleman. Address D, box 235, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper; experienced; rapid, accurate; will leave city. 331½ S. SPRING ST. F6063; Main 1102.

WANTED — GERMAN WOMAN WANTS laundry work or cleaning, by the day, or hour; $1.60 day. Address N, box 332, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY YOUNG LADY stenographer, experience in attorney's office. Phone WILSHIRE 465.

WANTED—WOMAN WANTS WORK IN A quiet rooming-house. Phone BROADWAY 301, with room.

WANTED—COMPTOMETER OPERATOR DEsires position; thoroughly competent. Address L, box 52, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED WOMAN, position as housekeeper or helper in hotel or apartment house. Please call up BROADWAY 5276. Room 17.

WANTED — EASTERN MILLINER WILL call at your home. Use your old materials. BROADWAY 2690.

WANTED—DAY WORK BY GOOD COOK, experienced in all kinds of work. Phone BROADWAY 1296. Room 106. 653 Central ave.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER IN widower's home or apartment-house. Address C, box 287, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WHEN IN NEED OF FEMALE help, call ACME EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. 331½ S. Spring st. F6063; Main 1102.

WANTED — YOUNG, NEAT APPEARING lady to do stage work in city. Call up SHERMAN HOTEL, Room 216, after 7 p.m.

WANTED — COMPETENT LAUNDRESS wishes work by day or hour, housework; also waitress, references. PHONE 52432.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK, ALSO LAUNdry to take home. First-class. SOUTH 7391.

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED lady stenographer and book-keeper; references furnished. PHONE 3460.

WANTED — TRAINED NURSE DESIRES position in doctor's office. References. Address N, box 180, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPer. Address LOCK BOX 136, Santa Barbara, Cal.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHIC WORK AND typewriting. 524 LISSNER BLDG. Phones: F4259. Main 2339.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY TWO SISTERS, as cook and second maid. BROADWAY 3654; F1308.

WANTED—POSITION AS PRIVATE SECRETARY by Mrs. Susie A. Gordon, better known as Monaghan in California. A member of the bar. Address HOTEL HILLCREST, Los Angeles, Cal., or P.O. box 955.

WANTED — COMPETENT STENOGRAphers furnished, without cost to either party. A4311. Main 1909. 103 N. Broadway. SMITH PREMIER TYPEWRITER CO.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS COOK AND EXperienced house girl wants position, state wages and number in family. Address Y, box 271, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING BY THE DAY. HOME PHONE F4823. Call forenoons.

Classified Liners.

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—THE STENOGRAPHERS' ASSOCIATION can supply you promptly and satisfactorily with competent stenographers and book-keepers. 418 EXCHANGE BLDG. Main 4396. A4377.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER, in apartment house; local and eastern experience; salary or percentage basis. Address N, box 8, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — OFFICE POSITION OR CASHier, best of city references and experience. Address N, box 28, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER DESIRES desk room near 5th and Spring streets in exchange for services. Address N, box 19, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WASHING, IRONING, CLEANing by competent woman. Phone mornings, 1323, MAIN 1095. SWEDISH AND GERMAN BUREAU.

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—JAPANESE, YOUNG, HONEST boy and his wife want position in a family in city; the former for stable, and garden work; his wife as nurse or houseworker. GEO. NAKASHIMA, 312 N. Alameda, city Home A2406.

WANTED—ORGANIZERS, EITHER SEX, for the "Buzzers," a new society. Big money. Apply HOTEL VICTORIA, corner Seventh and Hope. Ask for Mr. Maloney or Mr. Wiggeth. Call evenings.

WANTED—SITUATION, MAN AND WIFE want place together, ranch or private. 331½ S. SPRING, or F6865, Main 1102.

WANTED — RESPONSIBLE MAN AND wife, desire care of apartment house; satisfaction guaranteed. Address N, box 103, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY MOTHER AND SON, COOKing in oil or mining camp, first-class cooks. Phone MAIN 5030. E. R., 534 Wall st., Room 28.

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, ON ranch or private place. Phone 13638; MAIN 1095.

WANTED— Work by Day.

WANTED—THE RELIABLE HOUSE AND window cleaner. Best references. SOUTH 8319.

WANTED — GOOD LAUNDRESS WANTS Friday, Saturday, $2, car fare, no dogs. F1767.

WANTED—WIDOW WANTS ½ DAY'S WORK steady or hour, work afternoons. Phone nights, BROADWAY 2086.

WANTED—WASHING OR HOUSE CLEANing by the day. PHONE HOME A2308.

WANTED— Agents, Solicitors.

WANTED — AGENTS TO HANDLE THE Odell Junior Automatic Safety Razor Sharpening Machine. To men of ability we can offer an excellent proposition, with exclusive territory. ODELL MFG. CO., 623 South Hill.

WANTED — LIVE YOUNG MEN, AGE 30, good character, for real estate; that are acquainted and know city; no boosers or cigarette fiends. Apply 617 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., 9 to 12.

WANTED—$25 DAILY EASILY MADE WITH our outfit, which doubles the life of auto tires. Ask for particulars. THE GATLIN CO., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—

Partner, to take half interest with local business man, handling exclusive agency on fast selling line of electric specialties from San Francisco to San Diego. I want active partner, who can assume office and intelligently. I am contemplating putting several offices throughout my territory. Business fully established. Demand for goods unlimited. References and $500 required. This is exceptionally rare opening for right party. Investigate. Address N, box 27, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—I HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY OF acquiring unincumbered property and desire some one to join me in organizing a company with authorized capital of $100,000. Will take stock in such a corporation in lieu of property if association is satisfactory. A party preferred who will assist in things essential to make the project eminently successful, either as a COMMERCIAL or an INDUSTRIAL institution. Splendid opportunity for a man with brains and energy. Address N, box 160, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A STEADY, RELIABLE MAN, willing to travel and work all over the STATE OF CALIFORNIA, with an old established moving picture show, thoroughly equipped; $500 buys undivided ½ interest. We can clear $5000 each first year. I have something good and a clean cut honest business proposition. See owner at 11 o'clock or 2 o'clock any day at the LOS ANGELES HOTEL ASSOCIATION, 633 S. Hill st.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG BUSINESS MAN with $1000 to $1500 to invest, "A PARTNER," also a young man with business ability willing to invest an equal amount to organize and carry on one of the best paid businesses in this city. Address N, box 378, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SOMEBODY WITH NERVE enough to give $300 for partnership; positively worth $800. Leaving city reason for sacrifice. Legitimate, honest and excellent prospects. Today only, 1 to 3:30. 1006 S. GRAND AVE.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR REAL ESTATE and business chance office, large listings, and well equipped office, a fine chance for experienced man or woman, with $250. Particulars with GOLDEN WEST INVESTMENT CO., 305½ S. Spring st., Room 32.

WANTED—PARTNER. WHO WILL TAKE 1-4 interest in 48 lots at $350 per lot? Only $3000 required to handle and balance two and three years. Market value of lots now $500 each, and liable to be ten times this much in five years. Address N, box 282, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER IN GOOD PAYING business, established two years, doing business with biggest firms in city; pleasant outdoor work; retiring partner returning to Europe. See MR. MILLER, 702 S. Spring, Room 215. Price $800.

WANTED — MIDDLE AGED WOMAN FOR partner in country boarding-house, good proposition. Address N, box 169, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED office to handle city property and business chances; must arrange to start first January. Small investment required. See STEWART, 426 Mason Bldg.

WANTED — GOOD MAN TO WORK IN factory on oil burners and oversee that department; salary $75. The right man can have an interest in the business. Only $300 to $500 required. 2911 CENTRAL AVE.

WANTED—A PARTNER IN THE TAILORing and cleaning business. Have a good steady trade. Will take part cash, the rest in payments. A snap for the right party. Address N, box 276, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER WITH SOME RESTaurant experience to invest $300 in good paying business. Address N, box 335, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED rooming-house lady, recently from the east desires to meet gentleman who can invest $2000 to $3000 with her, in hotel business. For interview, 518 LISSNER BLDG.

WANTED—LADY WHO CAN TAKE CHARGE of departments in first-class store, $500 or more required. Good salaried position. Give particulars and phone. Address N, box 400, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER, TO TAKE ACTIVE interest in one of the largest lists of real estate and business chances in Los Angeles. ANDERSON, 604 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—PARTNER, I HAVE THE BUSiness. It don't cost anything to investigate. Address C, box 279, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—RELIABLE PARTNER IN ESTablished real estate business; fine opening; $350; references; investigate. Address N, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER, $250 REQUIRED. HASKELL, 521 Bryson Bldg.

WANTED— Houses.

WANTED—TRANSIENT ROOMING-HOUSE in business district, up to $2000. Will pay $750 down. MR. JONES, 623 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED — A GENTLEMAN; BUSINESS man with best references wants cosy furnished room, with congenial people in private family, no other roomers, state price. Address B, box 221, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— Rooms and Board.

WANTED—IN THE HIGH GROUND OF L. A., or near suburbs, board and a sunny room furnished or unfurnished, on lower floor, with flue or grate, accessible to porch; a cinch. Phone 52999, or 743 HARTFORD AVE.

WANTED—3 ROOMS, COMPLETELY FURnished for light housekeeping, private house, 10 minutes ride from uptown, in west preferred. State all particulars. Address M, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CLEAN SUNNY SINGLE ROOM and breakfast. 15 minutes' walk from Broadway, by young man. State terms, will be permanent if suited. Address N, box 343, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG GENTLEMAN OF REfinement wishes a home with strictly private family, cultured, congenial people; home must be modern. Address N, box 104, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — NICE LARGE SUNNY ROOM and board for mother and three well behaved baby girls, under six years of age. Must be near school and nice neighborhood. PHONE 53639.

WANTED — YOUNG GENTLEMAN WANTS nice board and room in Boyle Heights, where good dog may be accommodated; walking distance 4th and Anderson. Address D, box 230, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES OUTside room and two meals; private family, within fifteen minutes' walk of Sixth and Broadway; must be well heated; state terms. Address N, box 337, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY, PERMANENTly employed, a home with two meals a day; not over $35. References. Address N, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADY TEACHER IN PUBLIC schools, wants board and room in quiet refined family, preferably with elderly couple. Address M, box 348, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BOARD AND ROOM WITH private family, by young man, and use of piano one hour daily. Address N, box 181, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOME BY TWO YOUNG MEN, permanently employed, two meals, heat, light, bath, single beds; give prices. Address N, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BOARD FOR BOY 4 YEARS; must be reasonable; state terms. Address N, box 379, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM BY YOUNG man in exchange for services before and after school hours. MAIN 6843, F6310.

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED—

WE HAVE A FAMILY OF ADULTS WHO WISH A STRICTLY MODERN RESIDENCE OF TEN OR TWELVE ROOMS; PLENTY OF BATHROOMS; GARAGE; WILL LEASE SAME FOR TWO YEARS.

IF YOU CONTEMPLATE RENTING YOUR RESIDENCE, HERE IS A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE A DESIRABLE TENANT. COMMUNICATE AT ONCE WITH

R. J. SCHWEPPE,
WITH W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
324 P. E. BLDG.

WANTED—JANUARY 1, A THOROUGHLY modern 7 or 8-room furnished bungalow or Swiss chalet; with phone, furnace and garage; family of four; two children, 5 and 6 years old, and maid; best care guaranteed; references. Permanent tenant if conditions satisfactory; not over $75. Give full particulars. Address M, box 26, TIMES OFFICE. Phone 71065 between 10 and 11 a.m.

WANTED—TO RENT UNFURNISHED 3 OR 4-room upper flat, not to exceed $30 per month, situated between Figueroa, Vermont, 6th and Pico sts. Must be modern and complete in every particular. Telephone 54940, before 11 a.m. and after 6 p.m. Possession wanted January 1.

WANTED — TO RENT OUTSIDE OFFICE, on Broadway, prefer Story Bldg. PHONE 11926.

WANTED — TO RENT IN WEST OR southwest; between Temple and Jefferson sts. 6 or 7-room unfurnished bungalow; must be comparatively new, with garage, and furnace; give full particulars in letter. C. McCLEARY, 1267 W. 38TH ST.

WANTED—WILL TAKE CARE AND PAY taxes on small place with house of one or two rooms, in city limits. Address C, box 287, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — FURNISHED BUNGALOW OR house of 3 or 4 rooms, bath and screen porch, in good neighborhood, for about $20. Address N, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT FIVE OR SIX-ROOM flat or bungalow, close in, sunny, clean and modern. Address N, box 195, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FURNISHED BUNGALOW WITH 3 bedrooms, furnace, $50 to $75. Just from the east. Address N, box 153, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—DESK OR SPACE IN FURNISHed office, Broadway building preferred. Address N, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE.
Wanted—Good orange, lemon and walnut grove; also alfalfa and general ranches, for good city property.
Owners will pay cash difference.
See Mr. Cain.
THE LAWRENCE B. BURCK CO.,
142 South Spring st.
Main 6661. 10625.

WANTED — OWNERS WHO REALLY want to sell or exchange to list with us. Nothing too large or too small. We can handle anything.
CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, Inc., 60193. 714-16 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 1962.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE
Wanted—Good city, suburban and beach properties in exchange for ranches and cash
See Mr. Cain,
THE LAWRENCE B. BURCK CO.,
142 S. Spring st.
Main 6661. 10635.

WANTED — FIVE ACRES OF GOOD LAND with water, unimproved, within half a mile of the Pacific Electric and close enough to the city to make it possible to come into work daily. Must be willing to sell on long time terms. San Gabriel Valley preferred. Client waiting. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA HOMES COMPANY, 128 S., Broadway.

WANTED—WANT LOT 80 FEET FRONT BY 100 or over deep, between 7th and Miller, within 3 blocks of Figueroa. Must be 80 feet and must be in location outlined. Pay all cash.
T. F. BURKE,
W. A. ROBERTS REALTY CO.,
F9534. 832 Security Bldg.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FOR CASH.
1. Lots in Southwest for building.
2. Land in City of Los Angeles for subdivision.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
329 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE 6-ROOM BUNgalow, Highland Park or South Pasadena section, will give 80 acres land in Riverside county, with $1600 clear and assume. Address 203 NORTH CHICAGO STREET. Phone Boyle 640.

WANTED—A REAL BARGAIN IN COUNtry or city property for spot cash by purchaser. Must be good. Give price and description of property with answer. Address N, box 326, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY BUNGALOW LOT ON Harvard or Ardmore, between Temple and Fifth streets. Customer waiting to purchase. Owners only need apply. WOODWARG & BURGES, 605 I. W. Hellman Bldg. Telephone F1715. Main 2857.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE ACREAGE NEAR 5-cent car fare, southwest, Vernon ave., west of Main st., preferred; state amount of acreage location, price and terms. Owners only. Address ZZ, box 86, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FOR OCCUPANCY, FIRST OF year, six to eight-room modern house or bungalow, in good residential portion of southwest; owners preferred. Address M, box 74, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—6-ROOM BUNGALOW IN SOUTHwest, between 30th and 60th street. Will pay to $3000, with $250 cash. Owners only. GURLEY, 600 S. Spring, rear desk. Broadway 3256.

WANTED—WE HAVE INQUIRIES DAILY for 5 and 6-room bungalows. If you want prompt action list with us. PORTER KEEFE CO., 630 S. Spring. See Mr. Porter. F3038, Broadway 5160.

WANTED—I WANT A HOME OF 7 OR 8 rooms; must be new and complete, in good neighborhood, Washington Heights preferred, for cash and other good property. PERRY, 231 Mason Bldg.

WANTED—LOT, 50-FOOT FRONTAGE, NOT over 200 feet from Pico or Washington and between Figueroa and Magnolia. See CRUM, with Edward C. Cribb Co., 123 S. Broadway.

WANTED—TO BUY, 6 OR 7-ROOM BUNGAlow, must be modern, south of Pico st., west of Hoover; no brokers. TELEPHONE 556042, between 9 and 1 o'clock.

WANTED—OWNERS, LIST YOUR PROPerty for sale, with us, our interests are your interests.
CENTRAL INVESTMENT COMPANY,
617 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — WE HAVE A CASH BUYER for a good property, located in the vicinity of, from First to Washington, and between Maple and Figueroa. This locality is preferred. Have $6000 to $10,000 cash. F. G. WEIK & CO., 300 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE FOR CASH, lot from $6000 to $8000, in the vicinity of, from Maple to Figueroa, First to Washington. Address N, box 173, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE.
OWNERS ONLY.
Want best bargain in lot, Wilshire district; must have at least 70 feet frontage. Get busy.
A1569—E. M. GIFFEN—Main 2110
208 Story Bldg. Member L. A. R. B.

WANTED—A SMALL RANCH, WHERE I can make a good living. Price must be right. Owners only. Address N, box 331, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A PAYING ROOMING OR apartment house, must be cheap for cash; owners only. Address N, box 329, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A GROCERY THAT WILL stand investigation for cash, owners. Address N, box 330, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A BARGAIN, IN NEW FIVE-room bungalow, Vermont Square way, to $2500; $1000 cash.
G. R. COMTE,
Main 8535; 15046. 107 South Broadway.

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE COMPLETE SET of butcher fixtures and tools to move; state price; must be way down for spot cash. Not elaborate ones. Call today. 743 SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED — LADIES' AND MEN'S CLOTHing, evening wear, full dress, Tuxedos, trunks. Deal with a reliable house which pays highest prices. 513 W. 7TH ST. Main 3597, F1936.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, SILverware, antique jewelry, broken jewelry, curios; pay highest cash price; no red tape. S. S. SCHEPPS CO., 761 S. Broadway.

WANTED — TOP PRICES PAID FOR LADIES' AND MEN'S GOOD USED CLOTHING, EVENING DRESSES BOUGHT. 305 S. SPRING. MAIN 4024; F2890.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, ANtiques bought for cash. H. B. CROUCH CO., 217 W. Sixth st.

WANTED — REVOLVERS, RIFLES AND shotguns of all kinds. COLLATERAL LOAN CO., 402 S. Main.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE HYDRAULIC well rig, 1000 feet. F6538. BROADWAY 4485.

WANTED—TO BUY, CHICKENS OF ALL kinds. Apply WESTERN FISH CO. Phone Main 1224.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, ETC. Pay highest cash prices. REID, 402 Grant Bldg. Phone 11926.

WANTED—GENTS' SECOND HAND CLOTHING, SHOES AND TOOLS. BEST PRICES PAID. F4971. 106 EAST FIRST.

WANTED—FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD goods. L. A. AUCTION & COMMISSION CO., 401-3 N. Main st. Broadway 1867; F1719.

WANTED — MEN'S CAST-OFF CLOTHING. Highest prices paid. Phones MAIN 5745; A5751.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 3427 S. MAIN. Phone South 6364, 24952.

WANTED — HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR 2nd-hand clothing, etc. 716 E. 5TH. M.3739.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER-beds. 758 SAN PEDRO ST. Main 1166.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—
Petrolithic Gang Road Rooters, Petrolithic Disc Harrows and Petrolithic Lamb Foot Tampers; name best spot cash price.
W. D. DEEBLE,
L. A. Investment Co.,
335 South Hill st.
60127. Main 2248

WANTED—YOU TO KNOW THAT NINEty-three recipes for jams, marmalades and pickles are in The Times New Cook Book. Now on sale. Price 25c, postage 5c extra.

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WANTED—TO BUY A SECOND-HAND DElivery grocery wagon. Must be in good condition and cheap. JEFF. CLARK, 6121 Moneta ave.

WANTED — FOR CASH, OLD FASHIONED jewelry, silverware, laces, any kind of old gold and silver; also postal stamp collections. 614 W. 6TH., near Grand ave., open Sundays.

WANTED — CENTRAL ORCHESTRA, FIVE instruments, open for engagements. Dance, entertainment. 1474 E. 40TH ST. South 5319.

WANTED— Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY THE VERY HIGHEST cash price for all kinds of furniture, household goods merchandise, etc.; any quantity; we also sell on commission and advance cash on consignments. A trial will convince you, and we are always at your service; we have the largest, best equipped and oldest auction house in the State. REED & HAMMOND, auctioneers, 747-749 S. Spring st. Tel. Broadway 2800, Home F3545.

WANTED — WE BUY FURNITURE, HOUSE and office furniture, merchandise, carpets, stoves, ice boxes, odd pieces or complete outfits. Prompt attention to Los Angeles or suburban calls. Also buy electric fans, guns, sporting goods, light machinery, etc. We want good FURNITURE and have the SPOTLESS CASH. L. C. SKEELS, 911 S. Main. F7014. Main 3042.

WANTED — WE PAY MORE CASH FOR furniture, household goods, merchandise, etc., than any firm in the city, any quantity. Also sell on commission. Cash advanced on consignments. Largest and oldest established auction house in California. RHOADES & RHOADES Auctioneers, 530-532 S. Main st. Phones F1259, Main 1259.

WANTED—IF YOU WANT TO DISPOSE OF ANYTHING at the BEST PRICE OBtainable, communicate with us. We hold sales anywhere—and positively "get action." We have the experience and know how—and will give you a square deal. Ring up BRENT'S AUCTION AND COMMISSION, 718 S. Main st. Telephone Main 2836, Home F4545.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE THE FURNIture of a private residence for cash in the high-grade, with or without the property, in South Pasadena or Los Angeles; let me know as soon as you can; from 8 to 12 rooms. I am no dealer; wanted from owners direct. Dealers need not apply. Address K, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WANT FURNITURE AND CARpets, any quantity. Will pay a fair cash price for nice furniture. Call residence, 1721 MAPLE AVENUE. South 285 or 22430.

WANTED—WILL BUY FOR SPOT CASH mahogany roll top desk, library table and chairs. Address N, box 33, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FURNITURE IN ANY AMOUNT for spot cash. Will answer all calls immediately; prepared to pay cash and take possession. BROADWAY 1667 and F1719.

WANTED—MUST HAVE 50 ROOMS FURniture this week; will buy single pieces or lots; will pay cash any price. SUGARMAN'S 114 Court st. Phones F4510. Main 3114.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE AT ONCE. THE entire furniture of a private residence. Want good goods. Am no dealer. WILSHIRE 971, F5702.

WANTED—WE WILL PAY YOU HIGHEST cash price for your furniture. MAIN 1139.

WANTED — WE PAY CASH ON THE SPOT for all kinds of furniture. Phone 65497, Broadway 4783. CALIFORNIA AUCTION CO., [illegible] S. Main st.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—LARGE FRONT ROOM FOR housekeeping, $3.50 per week; also side room for housekeeping, $3 per week. All nicely furnished. 1043 S. OLIVE ST.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—ROOMS.
NEW HOTEL IN LOS ANGELES.
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POPULAR PRICES—$5, $6 and $7 a week, $1 day. Parlor suites and bath suites at attractive rates.
A Select Permanent and Traveling Patronage.

TO LET—WILLIAMS HOTEL AND APARTMENT HOUSE INFORMATION BUREAU. Furnished houses a specialty. Let us locate you. We save you time and money. 218 HENNE BLDG., corner 3rd and Spring sts. Phones Main 3706; Home A3851. Entrance on Third st.

TO LET—LARGE, SUNNY FRONT ROOM, with or without housekeeping, gas heat and bath, in heart of city, two young men or man and wife preferred. Call mornings, before 9:30. 512 W. SECOND.

TO LET—LARGE, SUNNY ROOMS, CLEAN, $2.50 to $5 weekly; kitchen. 840 S. HILL, near Hamburger's.

TO LET — $25. NICELY FURNISHED, sunny living and bedrooms, en suite; heat, light and bath furnished; half block from Westlake Park. PHONE 54198.

TO LET — 2-ROOM SUITE, NICELY FURnished, with or without board; gentleman preferred. 1412½ WEST PICO.

TO LET — DORIA APARTMENTS, LARGE front newly furnished room, bath, rent $16, including light, heat and hotel service, housekeeping privileges if desired. 1604 W. PICO.

TO LET — 678 LUCAS AVE., NEWLY FURnished front room, walking distance; gentleman only. PHONE 52919.

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING, 3 rooms, beautiful location, $20. Phone BROADWAY 1001.

TO LET — SOUTH BEDROOM AND SMALL kitchen for housekeeping; gas range, electricity and bath; suitable for working girl or man and wife; reasonable. 729 S. PARK VIEW, near Westlake Park, Wilshire 1872.

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT ROOM WITH connecting bath, West Pico district, exclusive use of parlor and piano if desired. Phone WEST 2973.

TO LET—2 NICELY FURNISHED OUTside rooms, hot and cold running water, tropical garden, apartment. 1901 S. GRAND. Phone South 4546.

TO LET — A CHOICE FURNISHED ROOM with sleeping porches; also 3 single rooms; Westlake district. PHONE 51556.

TO LET — 3 OR 4-ROOM APARTMENT, completely furnished for housekeeping, in bungalow. 1459 WEST 25TH ST. Separate entrance; adults. West Adams or S. Vermont cars.

TO LET—FOUR FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPing rooms; rent $15. 1007 NORMANDIE AVE.

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, MODern, $3 and $2.50 per week. 137 N. HOPE. Phone Main 4542.

TO LET — SUNNY FURNISHED ROOMS, with or without housekeeping. THE CAMERON, 1202 S. Figueroa. Main 5665.

TO LET—WESTLAKE, BEAUTIFUL, NEW, just opened, 434 LAKE ST. First-class rooming and apartment house; board if desired, steam heat; private bath, near park. Get choice. Phone HOME 55250.

TO LET—TWO ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping; in private family; gas, electricity, bath and phone. Suitable for 2 people. 1315 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED SUITES of one and two rooms, with kitchenette; also single rooms; phone, bath and walking distance. 1243 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—HADDON HALL HOTEL, 330½ S. SPRING. Extra large rooms, 50c, 75c, $1 per day; $2 to $4 per week. Stationery and baths free.

TO LET—HOTEL BURKE, 718 W. THIRD. Just opened, steam heat, hot and cold running water, private bath, rates $2 per week and up.

TO LET—502 S. MAIN, HOTEL RANFTON. SUNNY OUTSIDE ROOMS, DAY, WEEK OR MONTH, $3 WEEK UP. BDWAY. 3831.

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS in Westlake district, private family. 1608 ORANGE ST.

TO LET — PRIVATE ENTRANCE, BATH, phone, polished floor, wall bed, $9; references. WEST 3739.

TO LET — $2 WEEK EACH, FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, bath. Adults. 548 EAST PICO.

TO LET—REX HOTEL, 336 S. BROADWAY, rooms, $3 to $4 per week, with baths, heat and hot water; central.

TO LET—228 SO. FLOWER ST.; LARGE, pleasant front room, also small room, all conveniences; close in; rates reasonable.

TO LET—2 LARGE FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, with private bath; entrance and yard. 1622 ESSEX ST. South 6265.

TO LET — TO LADY EMPLOYED LARGE sunny room, private home, close-in; fine location. PHONE 54551.

TO LET — SINGLE ROOMS, FURNISHED. NOLEN APARTMENTS, 512 W. First st.

TO LET — 1 FRONT ROOM IN PRIVATE family, walking distance. PHONE 54774.

TO LET— Unfurnished Rooms.

TO LET—2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS WITH bath and use of kitchen in private residence; electric and gas. 1351 EAST 58TH ST., 2 blocks from Central ave.

TO LET — UNFURNISHED ROOM WITH kitchen, $10; steam heat. 1343 W. SIXTH ST.

TO LET— Flats.

TO LET—1 BRAND NEW FLAT OF FOUR ROOMS, LOCATED 42ND AND GRAND AVE. HAVE EVERY KNOWN BUILT-IN CONVENIENCE, INCLUDING ELECTRIC OVEN, NOTHING LIKE IT IN CITY; ONLY $26; ALSO 3 ROOMS, ALL BUILT-IN FEATURES, FOR $16. See F. H. REDPATH CO., OWNERS, SO. 297. 4308 MONETA AVE. 28339.

TO LET — NEW BUNGALOW FLAT EAST and south front, corner; 4 rooms, bath, large closets, disappearing beds, buffet, cabinet kitchen, everything modern. 39th and Denker ave. University and 39th street car. WEST 3077.

TO LET—BRAND NEW 4-ROOM FLATS, with every up-to-date built-in convenience, elegant fixtures and fittings throughout, Backus' heaters, ranges and linoleum; fine location, on two car lines. Grand ave. or Moneta car to 39th st. 3910 S. HILL ST.

TO LET — NEW 5-ROOM WESTLAKE Park flat, hardwood floors, laundry tubs, built-in beds, bookcases, seats, buffets, elegantly finished, inexpensive; odorless heating. Adults. PHONE 51566.

TO LET — UPPER MODERN 3-ROOM FLAT, 1414½ West 18th street, first door west of Hoover; wall beds, bath, toilet, laundry and fireplace, only $18 per month, water paid. PHONE 24259.

TO LET—1810 CHURCH AVE., NEAR Washington, new 4-room flats, unfurnished, up and down, most up-to-date flats in the city; built-in effects, disappearing beds, separate entrance. $30 to $35. WEST 123.

TO LET — ATTRACTIVE LOWER CORNER cottage flat, 6 rooms and reception hall; hardwood floors; choice location. Inquire 1402 S. BURLINGTON.

TO LET — HANDSOMEST MODERN 7-room corner bungalow flat in city, fine location; 3 ways of heating; rent cheap to permanent party. 700A W. 30TH. Inquire 704.

TO LET—A 3-ROOM FLAT, CONVENIENT, hardwood floors. 1336 CALUMET AVE. Main 2561. Take Angeleno Heights car.

TO LET — BRAND NEW 3-ROOM UPPER flat, modern, gas stove, linoleum in bath and kitchen, disappearing bed; close-in. 1225½ WEST 12TH.

TO LET — ELEGANT, MODERN, SUNNY, upper 6-room cottage flat; adults. 1434 BOND. Pico car, close in.

TO LET — HANDSOME MODERN FLAT, oak floors, near Figueroa and Pico; rent very low. Inquire by phone, MAIN 1295.

TO LET — UP-TO-DATE UPPER COTTAGE flat, 6 large, sunny rooms, like new. 1000 W. 22D.

TO LET — UNFURNISHED, 5-ROOM UPPER flat; also 4-room bungalow, new, modern. MAIN 4573.

TO LET—5-ROOM LOWER COTTAGE FLAT. rent $21, water paid. 1636½ MAPLE AVE. Phone South 3790.

TO LET — BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM UPPER sunny flat, private entrance, garage. Call 539 WEST 23D ST.

TO LET—JUST FINISHED, 4-ROOM SUNNY flat, every built-in feature; rent reasonable; adults. 149 WEST 39TH ST. South 6178.

TO LET — NEW 3-ROOM FLATS, STRICTly modern; adults only. Phone South 4940. Key at 632 EAST 49TH.

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—FURNISHED APARTMENTS, THE Montecito, beautifully furnished 3 and 4-room apartments with dressing room, storeroom and linen closet. Steam heat, two disappearing beds, sanitary kitchen and bathroom. 17 minutes' ride from P. O. on Griffin ave. car. Get off at Ave. 43. CHILDREN ARE WELCOME. 4227 GORDEN AVE., corner E. Ave. 43. Home Phone 31857.

TO LET—CLOSE-IN, CLEAN, COSILY FURnished sunny upper cottage flat; 4 rooms and bath; every convenience; reasonable; adults. 2129½ S. LOS ANGELES.

TO LET—PART OF MY NEWLY FURNISHed flat for the winter, accommodations for two adults, all modern conveniences and beautiful location. 130½ E. ADAMS ST.

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 3-ROOM, completely furnished flat in lovely private home; sun all day; large closets, sunny porch, velvet carpets; everything clean and sanitary. Reasonable to desirable tenant. West 9th car. 920 GRATTAN ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED FLATS; CLOSE IN; ONLY $15; 4 ROOMS; WATER PAID. F. H. REDPATH CO., OWNERS, SO. 297. 4308 MONETA AVE. 28339.

TO LET—A CONVENIENT, ATTRACTIVEly furnished 5-room flat; also garage and sleeping porch; walking distance; Crown Hill car to Bixel st. 1323 WEST 4TH ST.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY flat, piano, large ground, Westlake district. PHONE 54773.

TO LET — BEAUTIFUL MODERN 4-ROOM furnished flat; furnace, garage, etc.; very choice. Call 339 WEST 23D ST.

TO LET—FOUR-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, near Westlake Park. Call 2222 W. EIGHTH ST.

TO LET — 4-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, southeast exposure. 735 FRANCISCO ST.

TO LET— Apartments, Furnished.

TO LET—
CHAMOUNY APARTMENTS.
COR. W. 11TH AND GRAND VIEW STS.
A beautiful new building, thoroughly comfortable and homelike; every room an outside one; furnishings and appointments the very best; private tennis court and garage; only 12 minutes from town, via W. 11th st. car.
PHONES 55293, or WILSHIRE 1958.

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BUNGALOW APARTMENTS.
Elegant furnished 2-room apartments, all conveniences for housekeeping, kitchen, private bath, both phones, walking distance. $1 per day. Special by month. Large lockers. 900 SUNSET.

TO LET—
HERMAN APARTMENTS.
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FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY HOME between the city and the beach, on car line and main boulevard. Phone B. W. M., F5452, Main 1472. 815 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

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FOR SALE — MODERN 6-ROOM BUNGAlow, furnished; high-class furniture; garage; lot improved; occupied by owner; close to Moneta ave. on 47th st. Fine for a business man. Can arrange terms. Call me up and I will show you the house. PHONE 29087, Owner.

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A HOUSE BEfore the New Year? Must sell four this week; any terms; like rent, $1000 to $5000. Might rent. JACKSON, 504 Higgins Bldg.

FOR SALE—UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY TO buy direct from owner; most complete and attractive new 8-room house in Wilshire district. PHONE 53943.

FOR SALE—$50,000, FINEST AND BEST 15-room modern frame home in Los Angeles. Lot 164x268. On West Adams, close in. Phone F3473. Make offer. Full commission to agents.

FOR SALE—HOUSES.
A new 5-room bungalow, $1600, easy terms.
See owners, BURKE BROS.,
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FOR SALE—HOUSES.
A new 5-room all modern bungalow, just completed, only a few lots from Moneta ave. car line at a bargain, easy terms.
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FOR SALE— Houses.

—FOR SALE—

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Two new, elegant and classy 7-room bungalows. The finest in all the fashionable Wilshire district, on Gramercy Place, one-half block from car line, has all modern and up-to-date features, easy terms, like rent. See SOL. DAVIS.

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Open Sundays from 9 to 12.

FOR SALE—

$50 cash.

$15 month including interest.

Price $1650.

Buys a bungalow, modern, four rooms, all large. Big bathroom, gas, cement walks, curbs, graded street, absolutely the best buy on the market today. Located near Compton and Manchester avenues. Fine car service, excellent soil and big lot. See me soon as it is going to sell. I'll take you out in my machine.

STERLING W. BANKS,
With Braly-Janss Co., 320 P. E. Bldg.
Main 1371. F6101.

FOR SALE—
$1950—$100 CASH, $20 MONTH.
5-room modern bungalows.
½ block from Eagle Rock Yellow Car.
Has living-room, dining-room, cabinet kitchen, two bedrooms and large closets, rear screen porch, standard enamel plumbing fixtures. Gas too. On sightly lots overlooking a large valley and Elysian Park district. It's really one of these exceptional house offerings that you only find after looking at hundreds. You'd expect to pay several hundred dollars more. Really you'll be happily disappointed when you see this house. How can you continue to pay rent? Do wake up. Call and see the plans and talk over every feature that you can think of and we'll show you if you desire. See WARREN F. M'GRATH, with WESTERN BUILDING & INVESTMENT CO., Main 1273; 60135.

FOR SALE—

—$2250—

Positively buys the best built bungalow in the city. Terms $150 cash and $25 per month including interest. Close to 5c yellow car and only 20 minutes from Main street. This bungalow has hardwood floors, fireplace, buffet, well equipped kitchen, stationary tub, gas heater, sanitary bath, lavatory and toilet, window shades, electric fixtures and in fact everything that is necessary for a home. Come in and talk it over with me and then see this charming bungalow.
STERLING W. BANKS,
With Braly-Janss Co., 320 P. E. Bldg.
Main 1371. F6101.

FOR SALE—
$2000 UNDER VALUE.
Owner non-resident and wants to sell. Your opportunity to get a thoroughly modern home in Wilshire district at a bargain. Contains 10 large rooms, every modern convenience.
On Berendo street, between 6th and 7th, close to 4 car lines.
East front lot 50x150. Grounds nicely improved. Large garage. Well worth $12,000 for quick sale will take
—$10,000—
See this bargain at once.
A1569. E. M. GIFFEN, Main 2110
208 Story Bldg. Member L.A.R.B.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — 2058 FLETCHER avenue, South Pasadena, 9-room, 2-story residence, living-room, library and halls finished in mahogany; dining-room in oak; kitchen baths and chambers, white enamel; oak floors throughout, cellar, furnace, hot water heater and garage, everything strictly modern; lot 75x180; 18 eighteen-year-old orange trees, equity $6000; will consider well located residence, lot or sell on easy terms. OWNER, 28577.

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL NEW BUNGALOWS:
4 rms., very artistic, $2650; cash $265, $25 mo.
4 rms., high, sightly, $2750; cash $275, $27 mo.
5 rms., beautiful location, $2800; cash $280, $30.
5 rms., 4 bedrooms, $3000; cash $300, $30 mo.
6 rms., beamed ceilings, paneled walls, $3500.
6 rms., screen sleeping room, $3000.
8 rms., 2-story, beautiful location, $5000.
T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. 6th st. A2042. Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE—
WALNUT LAWN.

The most beautiful section of Los Angeles. Fine English walnut shade trees on every lot. Near school and stores. Best street car service. Five and six-room modern bungalows, also large residence lots; cash or easy terms. Call 319 S. HILL ST. mornings before 10 o'clock and see Owner.

FOR SALE—THE HANDSOMEST HOME ON beautiful Mt. Washington, every modern improvement. Superb view. Exquisite grounds. Investigate this. It is a snap. Owner leaving town. Also charming 10-room house in West Hollywood, strictly up to date. Lot 80x150. Barn, corrals, trees and shrubbery. Fine view of mountains and valley. An ideal home. WILL E. CHAPIN, Room 630, 430 Broadway. Phone A4154 after 2 p.m.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN.
I own a modern 2-story house located very close to Figueroa and 7th sts., within 5 minutes' walk of Broadway. Rental $40 month. House in A-1 condition. Lot worth $7000, want cash. Will take first payment of $2100, balance payable $50 per month, interest 6 per cent.; price $8500, no less. Absolutely the best buy in close-in property in this city. Address Owner, K, box 186, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
BARGAIN.
6-room modern cottage on 31st st., near Vermont ave. Hardwood floors in front rooms, 3 bedrooms, modern, bath, large screen porch and tubs, concrete cellar; lot 50x144. Investigate. R. G. DOW, 2408 Hoover. West 1810, 24162.

FOR SALE—
$1000 BELOW VALUE.
I need the money and will sacrifice corner lot on 21st st., near Union ave., 68x117, improved, with 8-room house. If you want a snap investigate at once. R. G. DOW, 2408 S. Hoover. West 1810, 24162.

FOR SALE — 2-STORY, 8 ROOMS, VERY cheap for cash; party going out of city. House new, strictly modern, just furnished; big lot; garage. See this before buying a good home. Call 2371 HALLDALE. 77201.

FOR SALE—5 AND 6 ROOMS, NEW AND modern bungalow, with gas and electricity; street work in; location the best. Prices cheap and terms easy. Phone East 557. 600 N. Eagle Rock ave. H. SAM NEWLON.

FOR SALE—A SNAP; $6000.
Nine-room new modern house, most elegantly finished, near new Manual Arts School. This must be seen, is cheap at $7000.
A1630. A. BOEKER & CO.,
Broadway 2860. 419 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, NEW 5-ROOM modern bungalow, southwest; buffet, mantel, book-cases, wash trays. Price $2400; $150 cash, $20 per month. Ask for IDA M. MURRAY, Broadway 3094; A5023.

FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS, NEW 6-ROOM bungalow, just built by day labor, close in, on Union ave. PHONE 21454.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN.
A beautiful seven-room house, fine location, near Manual Arts School; close to car line. Must be seen.
A1630. A. BOEKER & CO.,
Broadway 2860. 419 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE—$3800, SACRIFICE; CHALET, 8 rooms; $200 cash, $30 per month; beautifully decorated, fireplace in bedroom; every modern convenience, close to car, on high ground. Owner going away. PHONE 31447.

FOR SALE—OWN YOUR OWN HOME. WE can sell you new bungalows just like rent. Come to us and we will show you. H. L. MILLER & CO., 324 W. 6th st.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—
SPLENDID NINE-ROOM HOUSE.
IN REGULAR BEAUTY SPOT.
ONLY $650 CASH, $40 MONTH.
Want a home in the most healthful and most beautiful section around Los Angeles? High ground is almost as necessary in this country as pure food. Some day you will be COMPELLED to get away from that low ground. Here's a dandy house. Nine large rooms, four beautiful sleeping rooms upstairs (one exceptionally large); stunning living-room with craftsman fireplace, built to ceiling; large dining-room with handsome built-in buffet 14 feet long, decorated with art and leaded glass (some buffet this.) Fine library with ample built-in bookcases, breakfast room, complete cabinet kitchen, large front porch, upper balconies front and rear, hardwood floors every room but one; stunning electric fixtures, cellar, furnace, garage; east front, corner lot, exceptional view mountains and valley, built for sunshine and fresh air; plenty of windows with sleeping-out porch, surroundings A1, $20,000 bungalow being built almost opposite. Twenty minutes out, two-minute car service on SEVEN CAR LINES. No city taxes. A genuinely comfortable and attractive home. Oneonta Park district. Price $6500. Costs nothing to see it. Phone office for appointment. Also have beautiful 6-room bungalo, same location, cheaper.
OWNER, 530 Security Bldg. A2101.

FOR SALE—

CORNER OF ORCHARD & 29TH STS.

FASHIONABLE WEST ADAMS DISTRICT.

BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS, 150x155.

We have option on the biggest snap in residence property in this city. Grand residence located on large highly improved corner lot. The residence is in good repair and contains about 14 rooms on the three floors. Six bedrooms and two baths on second floor. Large basement with furnace, store rooms and laundry. Servant's rooms on third floor and in garage. The grounds are worth at least $15,000 and the house cost about $10,000 to build. We can positively deliver under option at the snap price of $13,000. This property is the biggest value in the city. Autos and courteous salesmen at your service.

ROBERT MARSH & CO.,
Sole Agents,
Trust & Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring.
Phones 10175; Main 5045.

FOR SALE—19 NEW BUNGALOWS.
Prices Cut. Prices Cut. Prices Cut.
Now only $2500 to $3000 each.
$50 to $250 cash.
And $25 to $30 monthly.
19 new, 5-room modern artistic bungalows, in that beautiful verdure covered valley midst the oak and sycamore trees of the Arroyo Seco and known as
ARROYO GLEN PARK.
These houses have just been finished, have oak floors; built-in buffets, bookcases, outside chimneys, fine porches, artistic in design and built from our own special plans, in that beautiful location between new Carnegie library site and the new city park (contemplated.) splendid car service. Take either yellow Garvanza car or red South Pasadena car on Main st., get off at Pasadena and Piedmont aves., at our tract office.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
Tract office, 6180 Pasadena avenue.
City office, 329 Douglas Bldg.
Tract Phone East 52; office Phone Main 3233.

FOR SALE—
THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME.

My beautiful new home, fully furnished with hand-made furniture; rare Oriental rugs and the best of everything throughout. House has 14 rooms, beautifully hand decorated on canvas; no paper, no tinting. Floors are one-inch hardwoods, laid on heavy felt over a one-inch tongue and grooved subflooring. One hundred and twenty feet frontage; beautiful lawn and flowers. Brick garage with chauffeur's room and fine, practically new 6-cylinder car. This place was not built to sell but was built as carefully as an eastern house and under my personal supervision for a home, but owing to changed business plans I am offering my place for sale at $30,000, and would give immediate possession. I would sell without furnishings and automobile if desired. No agents need answer as there would be no commission on this low price.
Address L, box 100, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
ON HIGH GROUND.
BEAUTIFUL NEW BUNGALOW.
A $3500 HOME FOR $2400.
ONLY $150 CASH, BALANCE MONTHLY.
This modern home is located in the most picturesque part of the Highland Park district; yard is beautifully improved with lawn, flowers and rare shrubs; bungalow contains 5 sunny and well-arranged rooms, also large cement veranda across front and one side; oak floors; beamed ceilings, paneled walls, beautiful Gruby tile mantel; artistic lighting fixtures; built-in buffet, window seats and bookcases, buffet kitchen, best of plumbing, including laundry trays. Finished in golden oak and white enamel.
"It Pays to See Us."
EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY.
Main 9307. 232 Laughlin Bldg. Home 10767.

FOR SALE—
BY OWNER.
$4300—Very Easy Terms.
Brand new 7-room bungalow, all rooms are very large and exceptionally light and airy. Hardwood floors. Walls very handsomely and expensively papered. Massive wood cornice ceilings. Built-in bookcases, desk, buffet, etc. Massive stone porch, large light cellar, piped for furnace. Very large east-front lot, in one of the very best bungalow tracts in the city, (southwest,) close to car line. You cannot duplicate this house for $4800. Remember, I am the owner and builder. It has never been lived in. Only $4300. Small down payment, balance monthly.
OWNER AND BUILDER,
Phone West 5896.

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FOR SALE — $1250, CASH OR TERMS. BUY from the owner and save commission. Two-room California house located in Sierra Madre, near the foothills. Lot 75x250 feet. Gas and electricity, pure clear mountain water; fenced for chickens, with up-to-date houses and runs. This is a perfect little farm. Esperanza ave., third house west of Baldwin ave. See JESSE R. SHAFER, 320 S. Main st., Los Angeles, or will be on the place Sunday, Dec. 31. Don't overlook this snap.

FOR SALE — BEST BARGAIN IN THE southwest; 5-room modern bungalow, located in good bungalow section, with good streets, sidewalks, curbing and palm trees; hardwood floors, paneled walls, beamed ceilings, fireplace, bookcases, writing desk and buffet; shed, lawn, garden and chicken corral. $2600, on time, with $250 down and $25 per month, including interest. 3215 NINTH AVE. Phone 72576.

FOR SALE—DO YOU KNOW THAT FOR $2650, very easy terms, you can buy a new modern, artistic bungalow, with three bedrooms, high, sightly location, on Boylston street, one block north of West First street car; walking distance? Ask for MR. OUCHMOODY.

FOR SALE — THE WORD MODERN MAY sound uncertain, but if you wish to know its full meaning see our cozy 6-room bungalow on West 61st st., $3000; $200 down, $25 monthly. PORTER-KEEFE CO., 630 South Spring. See Mr. Keefe. F3038, Broadway 5150.

FOR SALE — 1 ACRE HOME FRONTING 2 streets on Compton ave., 5-room house barns, windmill, 3000-gallon tank, 20 bearing fruit trees, curbs, sidewalks, chicken corrals, gas, etc., $2600; terms. E. T. SCHOLLER, 642 San Fernando Bldg. Home 10473, Main 4983.

FOR SALE—I AM A WIDOW AND CANNOT keep up my payments on my new, beautiful Highland Park bungalow, and will sacrifice $350 for quick sale; only small cash payment and monthly installments. Price reduced to $2500. Call at 6160 PASADENA AVE. to see property.

FOR SALE—$3250, MODERN 5-ROOM BUNgalow, large lot, 127 West 42nd st. $1500 cash, balance $25 per month. Property this vicinity in demand and rents high. By building small cottage in rear could realize great deal more than enough to make payments. OWNER, premises.

FOR SALE—$2650; THE MOST ARTISTIC new bungalow on high ground; three bedrooms, 2 parlors, kitchen, bathroom, fine grounds; in Westlake district, something altogether new and fine. 408 W. SIXTH ST. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE — 6-ROOM HOUSE, LOT 57x187, 6 blocks west of Broadway, 200 feet from Temple st. $3750; $750 cash, balance 3 years, 6 per cent. E. T. SCHOLLER, 642 San Fernando Bldg. Home 10473, Main 4983.

FOR SALE — AT $500 LESS THAN VALUE. Nice 5-room cottage with 12 fruit trees. Will sell for $2200; $250 cash, $25 per month. This is on car line at 1385 WEST 39TH ST. Call at same.

FOR SALE — 4-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, $2100. Good location $100 cash, balance $15 month, including interest. Take Hooper ave. car to 1479 EAST 42ND ST. See Owner.

FOR SALE — A 4-ROOM HOUSE WITH plumbing complete; near the 2 colleges in Highland Park, on Ave. 50 and Granada. Will sell on terms, cheap. PHONE 39579.

FOR SALE — 7-ROOM HOUSE, MODERN, well located, high ground, hardwood floors; every convenience; improved ground; a bargain; easy terms. Call OWNER, West 2426.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE — THE OLD HOME MUST GO. Ten-room house, eastern style. Ground 52x300, close in. Fine lawn, orange and lemon orchard. Everything to make a fine home. Sacrificed $4000. REID & HILL, 630 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—HOUSES.
A snap in a 5-room house, $2250, easy terms. Located on South Olive street. See BURKE BROS., owners, 5821 Moneta ave.

FOR SALE—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, FURnished or unfurnished, handsome new 2-story 8-room house, very latest improvements; must be seen to be appreciated; will make terms. Owner on premises. PHONE 52071.

FOR SALE — GREATEST BARGAIN IN town; $1000 cash buys the $1500 equity of my new 6-room modern bungalow in beautiful Elysian Heights; side hill; cost $2600; mortgage $1000. 1621 CERRO GORDO ST. Phone Wilshire 3276.

FOR SALE — AT A BARGAIN IF TAKEN SOON, 5-ROOM MODERN UP-TO-DATE BUNGALOW, JUST FINISHED. FOR $2800. 2020 8TH AVE. PHONE 52124. TAKE W. JEFFERSON CAR.

FOR SALE—LARGE 9-ROOM, WILSHIRE way house at $1500 below intrinsic value. Thoroughly modern. Owner moving from city. Price $9500 cash or terms. Telephone OWNER, Wilshire 2084.

FOR SALE — SOUTHWEST NICE 8-ROOM 2-story house; easy terms to suit buyer. West 4126. 2107 BUDLONG. Call mornings.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$500 CASH, $1600 equity 5-room bungalow, Euclid Heights for west side place or lot. Owner, 3480 E. 4TH.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE, MODERN 13-room house. Address BB, box 83, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OWNER HAS SEVERAL 50x150 lots, high ground, restricted tract. Will build 5 or 6-room bungalow to suit your own ideas for $50 down and $25 per month. Address P, box 240, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BUNGALOWS ON MOST EASY terms, in highest-classed moderate-priced part of city. Apply 323 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM BUNGALOW, JUST completed, owner leaving city, small payment down. 709 W. FIRST ST. A4136.

FOR SALE — HOUSE AND LOT AT NO. 2370 West 20th st. See Owner, No. 237 W. 28TH PLACE. South 1464.

FOR SALE—EQUITY IN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, southwest; must be sold. PHONE 29411.

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WE BUILD DIRECT FROM OUR OWN lumber at first cost.
2 rooms, $75 to $100; 4 rooms, $200.
5 and 6 rooms, modern, $800 to $1200.
See our plans, $1200 to $2600.
We lower all bids, city or country.
Complete free drafting department.
P. J. LEAVER & CO., Contractors, 817 to 821 Higgins Bldg., corner Second and Main. A1467. Main 2748.

"BUILDERS ATTENTION"—
I have one of the best roadsters in the city, cost new $5000. Want builder to build five bungalows and take machine at $2500, as part pay. In replying give me the address of a couple of houses you have completely recently. Address N, box 81, TIMES OFFICE.

BRING YOUR PLANS OR IDEAS FOR building and let us figure with you. Plans free.
EQUITABLE REALTY CO.,
323 South Hill.
Call for MR. CLOYD.
Both Phones.

BEST DESIGNED AND BUILT BUNGAlows. Your choice of 100 classic plans, free if we build for you. If lot is clear we will make loan for building.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
329 Douglas Bldg., cor. 3rd and Spring.

L. E. TUCKER, CONTRACTOR AND Builder, 535 Citizens' National Bank Bldg., Third and Main, Broadway 2701. See me for lowest prices and best work. High class references.

I DO PAINTING, PAPERING AND TINTing on old houses; also any kind of repairs, very cheap. F. R. BROWN. 1317 S. Bonnie Brae st. West 5381.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, DECOrating. Prices very reasonable. First-class work guaranteed. PHONE 63746, MAIN 492.

WANTED—A MAN TO FIGURE ON STAIRS at 1430 S. FLOWER.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
100x135—$500.
A big level lot, 100x135, with a gorgeous view of mountain and valley for miles around, a soil that is hard to equal, a car service that reaches Los Angeles within a few minutes, should appeal to you. If you like plenty of elbow room, pretty surroundings, and health, I have just what you want in Mission Court, a beautiful tract situated but 30 minutes from 6th and Main sts. This district combines all the necessary essentials for perfect home-making—fresh air and water aplenty, freedom refined environment, pleasant neighbors, accessibility and perfect soil. I quote the alluring opening price of $500 on these lots for those who speak quickly. Terms are most acceptable—$10 down and $10 a month. See me about these splendid lots. EMIL FIRTH, 346 South Broadway. Home 60167. Main 2543.

FOR SALE—

—$500—

Absolutely the best lots offered anywhere in the city for the money. Terms $25 cash and $10 per month. Located close to 5-cent yellow car. Every city convenience, such as gas, electricity, five-foot cement walks, wide curbs, eight-foot parkings, 15-foot alleys and only 10 minutes from the industrial district. Make no mistake, buy one or two and watch your money grow. No better investment today in Los Angeles. I'm ready with my machine to show them. Come in and talk it over.

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FOR SALE—
A FRANCIS AVE. LOT.
50x135.
LOCATED ON HIGH GROUND, IN THE CLOSE-IN WESTLAKE SECTION, AND NEAR W. NINTH AND HOOVER STS.
—$1900—
IT'S A SNAP AT THE PRICE.
ALEXANDER MACKEIGAN,
SOLE AGENT,
400 STORY BLDG.

FOR SALE—ALL OR PART OF TWENTY acres in southeast part of Boyle Heights; splendid for nursery, chickens, dairy, subdivision or future investment; will make a low price, must sell and this bargain will not last long. FRANK A. KELLY, owner, 517 City Nat. Bank Bldg. A1802.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL BUILDING LOTS, will sacrifice for quick sale. Address N, box 62, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
W. Adams bargain; owner leaving country; will sell 50x140 corner, 11th ave. and 23rd st. $2100; half cash. G. VAN SANT, Ocean Park.

FOR SALE—THREE LOTS, 40x130 EACH, close in, best residence lots, high ground; price $1200 each; net price. Call HOME phone 53542. Good terms.

FOR SALE—2 CHOICE 60-FT. LOTS IN Wilshire district; will sell below value. Phone owner, B. W. MARKS, F5452, 815 Trust and Savings Bldg.

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN ON TEMPLE ST., 50-ft. front, only $40 a foot, cheapest lot on street, must be sold. EDW. J. FRIEDRICH, 1052 Temple st.

FOR SALE—ANGELENO HEIGHTS, HIGH ground, close in; lot 50x150, only $700; another, 50x135, only $2000; many others. See EDW. J. FRIEDRICH, 1052 Temple st.

FOR SALE—LARGE BUSINESS LOT WITH two-story house, good business location, at 1945 E. FIRST ST. Can be bought reasonable. Owner, C. D. TEMPLEMAN, Bells P.O., Cal.

FOR SALE—PROPERTY, LOT 50x150, ... Sunset blvd. Best proposition in town for apartment house. A. CORENSON, 631½ S. Broadway. Main 5120.

FOR SALE—FINE APARTMENT HOUSE site, 50x140; only five blocks from Westlake Park and only 20 minutes' walk from town. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with Oscar B. Smith, 312-14 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—NORTH FRONT LOT, ON W. 54th st., between Figueroa and Hoover; lot 40x135. Price $800 cash. Owner, 923 Maple ave. Phone Main 277, Home F8473.

FOR SALE — $950 FOR 50-FOOT BUSINESS corner lot, Temple st. car. Also $800 for 50-foot inside lot. RIGBY, 1052 Temple st.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN; SOUTHEAST corner Cambridge and Western, 44 feet front, fine residence section; See GORDON, owner, 203 S. Broadway.

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At the junction of three main interurban lines, giving a 22-minutes service into the business district. Ivywild is the center of all the big developments to the west. Street car lines are being extended that way and new subdivisions are opening up all around. Ivywild is on high ground, only two and a half miles from the city limits and seven and a half from the heart of the city.

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BUY ON REAL PRESENT VALUES NOT BASED ON FUTURE POSSIBILITIES.

This property is worth more than we are asking for it on the present acreage valuation in the vicinity. You get all the increase due to the developments in that direction.

Ivywild is destined, because of its location, to be the distributing point for the Subway, but you are not paying what the lots will be worth when the Subway is completed. The improvements on the tract will soon be finished and several houses are now under construction. Ivywild is an accomplished fact with a big future assured. You are overlooking a big opportunity if you do not investigate it. Go with us in auto, or take Playa Del Rey car at Hill street station. City and tract offices open every day.

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CITY LOTS $200.

High, sightly lots, within the city limits, overlooking city and ocean, above the dust and smoke; excellent car service, 5c fare. Water piped to each lot. Only $200 and up. $5 down and $2 weekly. No interest, no taxes.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY, 622 South Spring st. Open Sundays from 9 to 12.

FOR SALE—

WILSHIRE DISTRICT 60x150 $2600.

This is on MANHATTAN near 4th. Positively the best buy on the entire street. Restrictions, $4000. ONLY $2600.

O. L. WOODWARD, with HOLMES-WALTON CO., 504-6 GRANT BLDG., 4TH & BROADWAY. A3010. Main 4590.

FOR SALE—LOTS.

20 MINUTES FROM 7TH AND BROADWAY on cars with all transfers. 50x150 FT. LOTS WITH ALLEY. High, dry, sightly, best soil in county. All improvements. GAS, ELECTRICITY, WATER, BEST STREET WORK, IN A LIVE MOVING district, close to schools, stores and 2 blocks from cars.

13 BUNGALOWS BUILDING, 2 FINISHED.

$50 cash, $10 per month, $500 up.

See SCOTT, with 60005; Main 4203. THOS. C. BUNDY & CO., 405 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—

BUSINESS LOT. VERMONT AVE.—$750.

Business lot, 50x162, on Vermont ave. Yellow car line. East front. Street improvements, and cement walks are in. South of Manchester avenue, in a well built up neighborhood, which is growing continually. The price is only $750, and I will sell on terms of $25 cash and $15 monthly, if you wish. EMIL FIRTH, 346 South Broadway, "You're Safe at Firth's." Home 60167. Main 2543.

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WILSHIRE BOULEVARD CORNER, NEAR WESTERN AVE., 100x150. $11,000 CASH. BY FAR THE CHEAPEST WILSHIRE CORNER ON THE MARKET. ALEXANDER MAC KEIGAN, SOLE AGENT, 401 STORY BLDG.

FOR SALE—

FINE BUILDING LOTS—GET BUSY

50x155, high, sightly, near college $1000
35x155, high, sightly, near college $750
40x125, corner business lot, nr. college $1100
1 acre, finest view in California $1500
60x150, corner, Sunset blvd. $1650
40x150, corner, W 16th, business $1500

T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. Sixth st. A2043, Main 2043. Mr. Frye.

FOR SALE—

RIPE FOR SUBDIVISION.

We have several select subdivision properties closely within expansion zone, ranging from $75 to $650 per acre. BUY NOW. W. H. TAFT CO., 616 Wright & Callender Co. A4797. Bdwy. 3351.

FOR SALE — 3 LARGE LOTS, HIGH LEVEL, close to three car lines, between Washington Blvd. and Pico sts., outside city limits, west side. Street work paid, water. Snap, $420 each; $100 cash, balance $12 month. Might consider smaller cash payment. Address L, box 382, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CORNER BARGAIN, ¼ ACRE. 174 feet frontage on car line; large frontage on Senkiel ave. High level ground. Also close to Del Rey and Venice short line. All street work paid. Water. Price $1100; $350 cash, balance 1, 2, 3 years, 6 per cent. Look at this. Inquire of A. C. WALTER, Room 310 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

FOR SALE—FREE FOOTHILL BOOKLET, on the science of land profits. Contains 44 pages, fully illustrated, with the history of development in California, considered from standpoint of investor and homemaker. It is free by mail, or we'll be glad to have you call. WESTERN EMPIRE MAGAZINE, 100 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE — 5 OR 10 LOTS IN ONE OF the best subdivisions on west side. Lots $450 to $750. Prices are right. Land high, level and has 3 car lines; 25 minutes to city. Will make liberal proposition to good builder. Splendid opportunity for right party; or will sell on very reasonable terms. Address L, box 163, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — LOTS ARE SELLING LIKE hot cakes, more so than in the boom; get in line at our office and by some El Segundo lots and make some money; prices from $350 up; $10 down and $10 per month. Drop $10; pick up $5 quick, if you miss it you miss it. See H. L. MILLER & CO., 334 W. Sixth st.

FOR SALE—LOTS IN LONG BEACH, ON car line, for city property. 436 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

FOR SALE—LOTS. A nice building lot at $700, Slauson ave., near Figueroa, easy terms. See owner, 5821 MONETA AVE.

FOR SALE—LOTS. A nice business lot on Moneta ave. at a bargain, easy terms. Also a nice corner. See BURKE BROS., owners, 5821 Moneta ave.

FOR SALE—LOTS. 2 nice east front lots on Figueroa blvd., $1000, small payment down, balance like rent. These are bargains. See owner at once. 5821 MONETA AVE.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—LOTS. A bargain, 3 nice large lots on Main st. boulevard; street work in, side walks and curbs; only $450 each. Just outside city limits. Yellow car line, one block. See owner at once, 5821 MONETA AVE.

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES IN CITY, FRONTING Effie street, and Park Way, overlooking Silver Lake; five acres at La Canada; 320 acres at Mt. Wilson Half-way House. WILL D. GOULD, Temple Blk. Phone Main 2177.

FOR SALE—I WILL SELL 4 LOTS WEST of city on Venice short line and make terms to suit, all improvements in, if taken at once; will sell them for $400 each. Address N, box 64, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x160, CLOSE TO WASHington Blvd., all street work complete. Price $400. Address N, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — I HAVE SEVERAL BARgains in lots in the southwest district. See me at once. Call A5941. Main 1202. H. W. CHESEBRO.

FOR SALE—LARGE HIGH LOT, CARRILlo st., Angeleno Heights, $750. A snap, for 10 days. Broadway 758. E. H. WHEELER, 522 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—

MAPLE AVE., NEAR 7TH. 44x131, $16,500. ONLY $375 A FOOT. THIS LOT IS RIGHT IN TOWN AND A SNAP AT THE PRICE. SEE E. S. ELLIS OR ALEXANDER MAC KEIGAN, SOLE AGENTS, 401 STORY BLDG.

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FOR SALE—

MONETA AVENUE & CORNER. 170 FEET FRONTAGE. PRICE $12,000.

Look at the price and size, and when we tell you it is north of Santa Barbara ave., if you have the price you ought to get busy. CONWAY & GLEASNER, 405 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—

$13,000. SOUTH FLOWER STREET. 54x165 TO ALLEY. EAST FRONT—ON TERMS.

This is located just south of 16th st., one of the finest apartment sites in the city. CONWAY & GLEASNER, 405 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE— Business corner, 3 stores and 6 apartments, income $3500 yearly; building is new, pressed brick, and modern in every respect. Make offer on this choice property and I will make terms to suit. Call between 9 and 10 a.m.. A. C. WALTER. 203 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—ELEGANT, UP-TO-DATE corner, narrow brick and stone apartment, located Brooklyn, N. Y., near subway, finest location in Brooklyn, 4-story double, 8-family apartment, 7 rooms and bath each, leased at $4000 per annum, all latest improvements, photograph; price $40,000; one mortgage $22,500, 3 years from November 1, 1911; equity $17,500. Want Los Angeles income or orange grove. Must stand investigation. Mine will. Address D, box 249, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — SPLENDID LOCATION FOR laundry, garage, stores, apartments, rooming house or other business; all or part of entire block, 222 feet, 16th to 17th sts., on east side of Central ave. Streets on three sides and alley in rear. Price so low it will surprise you, but must sell. See about this right away as it will not last long. FRANK A. KELLY, Owner, 517 Citizens' Nat. Bank Bldg. A1802.

FOR SALE — BRICK BUILDING, SANTA Monica, in first-class condition, a 10 per cent. investment. Property increasing steadily in value. Rare chance for good safe income bearing investment. $30,000. See F. H TALLE, 221 Kerckhoff Bldg. Main 227. Home 10627.

FOR SALE—ROOMING HOUSE, 15 MINutes from Third and Spring sts., net income $85 month; price $12,000, $6000 cash, balance mortgage, 6 per cent. Inquire JONES, 633 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. [illegible]

FOR SALE— Industrial Property.

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FOR SALE—

640 acres, Earlimart, $50; alfalfa.
700 acres, Richgrove, $100; oranges.
640 acres, Ducor, $100; oranges.
250 acres, Ontario, $160; alfalfa.
1000 acres, Ontario, $160, alfalfa.
640 acres, Las Vegas, $25.
50 acres, Garden Grove, $1000; walnuts.
40 acres, Hyde Park, $400.
350 acres, Corona, $200; alfalfa.
300 acres, Cucamonga, $60; lemons.
400 acres, Etiwanda, $75; lemons, oranges.

F. N. BURLEIGH, 408 Mason Bldg.

FOR SALE— Income Property.

FOR SALE—EXTRA BARGAINS.

$20,000—New York Apartments, 1015 E. Ninth street, modern 3-story building of 16 apartments, 48 rooms, income $2000; lot 42.8x125; N. W. corner, buy in the line of progress and make big profit.

$20,000—Boston Apartments, 1003 E. 9th st., the neatest and coziest apartments east of Main street, 14 apartments, 42 rooms, income $2200, very good corner, lot 42.8x120; don't miss this opportunity to buy Ninth street property.

$25,000—Denver Apartments, 1028 West First street, three-story frame building, 16 apartments, 32 rooms and three storerooms, Southeast corner, a great bargain; income $3000.

Lot near Washington, on Lenox avenue, 40x120, cheap for $1750; two-story house of 12 rooms, just north of it. Price $7500.

Two lots, frontage on Sunset boulevard at $30 per foot; corners at $35 per foot. Snap.

Boylston street, lots at $40 per foot, and $60 for corners, great bargains.

Call U. S. FRYE, 408 W. Sixth st. A2043; Main 2045.

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FOR SALE— BRAND NEW APARTMENT BUILDING. Just finished and leased for 10 years at a total rental of $56,700, located close to Sixth and Figueroa sts., easy walking distance; price reduced to $4250 for quick sale. Easy terms; a splendid investment. Investigate quick. DAVIS & RYDER, 452½ S. Broadway, room 43.

FOR SALE—24-ROOM APARTMENT BLDG., close-in, $11,000; $5000 cash, balance 6 per cent. Will net over 11 per. cent.; Pico st. Inquire 623 Chamber of Commerce. Phone F5877.

FOR SALE— Real Estate, Unclassified.

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FOR SALE — 25-ROOM HIGH-CLASS rooming-house, good respectable location; low rent, price $2500. Terms. Also entire subdivision in San Diego, will make terms or consider part Los Angeles property. Owner, 717 W. THIRD ST.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—

THE TYPICAL LOS ANGELES HOME.

In the old days, ten or fifteen years ago, we had in Los Angeles the semi-tropic adornments that made home-life attractive in every respect. Today the long rows of fifty-foot lots, with little bungalows all in a row like stalls are pretty enough, but the character of the city has become changed to metropolitan features. Long since the home loving people have been tending toward the foothills—and in these there is a vast difference. Back along the warm thermal belts residence property has become prohibitive in price. The vineyards and the fruit orchards have given away to the advent of the suburban homemaker. In all this steady rush there was one little valley lying a thousand feet above the sea, with natural tree adornments and natural running brooks that was undisturbed by the clang of the trolley, and where the vineyards and lemon groves were undisturbed.

We are now organizing a home-buyers club of one thousand families to purchase fifteen hundred acres of this valley at one bold stroke and make for each member lovely country homesites, with frontages ranging from 200 feet down to fifty feet. After all improvements are completed, including walks, electric lights, water, street ornamentation and transportation, the club will jointly own a thousand acres of adjoining lands from which profits all of the original investment can easily be earned back. The investment unit is figured on the basis of ten dollars per front foot—or eight hundred and fifty dollars for an eighty-five-foot lot. A few streets will be laid out with fifty-foot lots, and another portion of the district will be divided into acres and half acres, of most charming character.

All members of the club first receive a building site, fully improved at the rate of ten dollars a front foot—and an equivalent amount of stock in the association, which owns adjoining lands, water system, lighting system and a half interest in the Glendale suburban electric railway. You may participate. You gain two profits from the one investment. This being the tenth project of this character managed by us, will warrant your early investigation. This exclusive valley is only ten miles from the heart of Broadway. Our autos make two round trips daily—9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Booklet, fully illustrated, mailed free.

WESTERN EMPIRE VERDUGO ASSN., 100 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—

RAMONA ACRES.

ADJOINING THE NEW "VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB."

A WHOLE ACRE FOR THE COST OF A CITY LOT.

Live out in the open at Ramona Acres, in the beautiful San Gabriel Valley, surrounded by orange and lemon groves. Los Angeles is fast growing valleyward—rapidly increasing every foot of this splend'd acreage. Get in now—own one of these acres. Only 20 minutes from First and Main. Every convenience, gas, water, cement walks and curbs, oiled streets and tree-lined parkways.

$750 AN ACRE AND UP. ON EASY TERMS.

TO GO—Take car marked "Covina Line" in Pacific Electric Building, or anywhere on Main street to First, get off at Garfield avenue. Salesman will meet you there with carriage to show the property; or come to this office for free transportation. Our tract agent is on the property from 8:30 a.m. until arrival of the car leaving the city at 3:30 p.m.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY, 611-13 SOUTH HILL ST. Home 10345. Broadway 2463.

FOR SALE—

STOP LOOKING AROUND. INGLEWOOD BUNGALOW PARK

is the place to build your home; the most charming place, best climate on earth. Acre and half acre lots, supplied with gas, water and electricity; streets graded and oiled, wide cement walks and curbs; beautiful acacia and palm trees planted in the parkways. Go out TODAY and select your lot, then decide on the style of house you want and we will build it for you and sell you the house and lot on terms of 10 per cent. of the purchase price cash and the balance one per cent. monthly until the property is paid for. Call at our Los Angeles office, 349 Wilcox Building, or Inglewood office, Regent and Market street, or at our tract, office Lockhart Station, for full particulars.

INGLEWOOD LAND COMPANY, Tel: A4229, Main 6913.

FOR SALE—

VAN NUYS-LANKERSHIM LANDS. 10 ACRES ON $500,000 WORLD'S FAMOUS BOULEVARD AND ELECTRIC CAR LINE. $350 AN ACRE. ATTRACTIVE TERMS.

Only a few such chances left to own a country estate or home ranch on this boulevard.

Now is the time to buy. Electric cars are now running to this splendid property. Prices are bound to advance. Scores of magnificent homes are under construction. Thousands of acres are being planted to fruit and vegetables. The soil, a rich brown loam, produces big crops without irrigation. Own a money-making country home. The terms are easy. Come out and see the property today.

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FOR SALE—

B-A-R-G-A-I-N.

I have a very choice 5-acre piece just south of Van Nuys, on Sherman Way, the $500,000 boulevard, with water piped, which I will sell at a bargain. Street improvements; parking of ornamental shrubbery etc., in and paid for. 319 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—1½ ACRES, 7-ROOM HOUSE, hot and cold water and toilet; lawn and shrubbery, mixed fruit, 100 plum trees, two varieties; 4 double chicken houses and corrals; 2 incubators and house; brooder-house, storage house, 2 pens of fine hens, all fenced; this can be had with $500 to $700 down; balance monthly; only $3000. Call Phone SOUTH 61J1.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN— $8000—10 acres, 7-room house, great variety deciduous fruit, about 4 acres alfalfa; located in town of Burbank, ½ cash, balance terms. See MR. BROWN, With J. B. FRANKLIN & CO., 312 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—$1000; 2 ACRES AT HERMOSA on top of hill, fronting on El Camino Real, fine soil, bargain; several hundred dollars under prices asked for surrounding property; must make quick sale; terms. W. L. CRAIG, 316-18 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—SOUTH ON VERMONT AVE., ½ acre, 8-room house, with bath, barn, storage house, chicken house and yards; shrubbery, berries, grapes and fruit trees; shade trees; cement walks and street work all in, for the small sum of $2900. For information call phone SOUTH 61J1.

FOR SALE—EQUITY OR CLEAR TITLE IN acre at Lawndale; one block from car; corner, with eastern frontage; investment or home; easy terms. Investigate. Bargain. Address N, box 168, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 5-ACRE FRUIT RANCH, Lankershim way, all in fruit; small house and barn; splendid soil, price just reduced, $2500; terms. F. P. BLODGETT, 334 Consolidated Realty Bldg., Sixth and Hill sts.

FOR SALE—AT LA CRESCENTA, THAT beautiful foothill section, north of Glendale; 5 acres land for $600 cash. Can furnish water stock. LA CRESCENTA REALTY CO., La Crescenta, Cal.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—

60-FOOT LOTS ON LONG BEACH CAR LINE, 25 minutes from Sixth and Main, only $175 each, terms $2 down and $2 weekly. Artesian water piped to each lot—car service unexcelled, finest of soil and located on the new boulevard to the sea.

GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY, 622 S. Spring st. Open Sundays from 9 to 12.

FOR SALE — I HAVE A SELECT 5-ACRE place just south of Van Nuys on Sherman Way, the $500,000 boulevard, with water piped, which I can sell at a bargain. Street improvements and parkings of ornamental shrubbery in and paid for. 319 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—A CHANCE TO PURCHASE A high class gentleman's home (no income property,) without cash except commission if well secured, 4 acres, Brand boulevard. Owner must change residence. Apply MRS. A. W. CANFIELD, Casa Verdugo, Cal.

San Gabriel.

FOR SALE—AH, READ THIS. THE FINest Christmas present in the San Gabriel Valley; 10 acres, full-bearing walnut grove, 14 years old; house, barn, $4000 pumping plant; sells about $2000 water per year to neighbors; 3 to 6 sacks walnuts per tree; think of this income when walnuts sell from 12 to 15 cents per pound; this place a bargain at $12,000; part terms. Also 10 acre groves, 6 year trees; only $700 per acre; this is surrounded with fine homes, will be city lots in two years; hundreds others too numerous to mention; come and see us; we have what you are looking for. SAN GABRIEL VALLEY REALTY CO., REIFER & BELOHLAVEK, A4122. 105 S. Broadway. Main 2144.

FOR SALE—SAN GABRIEL— 19 acres, finest orange land, on San Gabriel blvd.; abundant water, view of mountains; unsurpassed, and can never be obstructed, plant this to Valencias and double your money within a year. Only $600 an acre, but it won't last long; NOW is the accepted time; might consider a lot in Westlake section if it was priced right. JAMES THOMPSON, 426 Mason Bldg.

Rivera.

FOR SALE—DANDY WALNUT GROVE OF 5 acres on boulevard, near Rivera, only $4250. See MR. ADAMS, with James Thompson Co., 426 Mason Bldg.

Altadena.

FOR SALE—5½ ACRES, 29 SHARES WATER stock; magnificent view. Price $6200; half cash. CHAS. B. MULLALY, Altadena.

South Pasadena and Oneonta Park.

FOR SALE—ONLY 2 BLOCKS FROM CORner Fair Oaks and Mission; finest car service; 7c fare; improved lot, 60 feet frontage, 225 deep; 1-3 of an acre; 5-room California house in rear; rent for $15 per month; room for large house in front; modern poultry houses for 100 chickens and room for two more similar; rich soil; just the thing for fruit, chickens and garden; bargain price. Inquire 1719 Monterey Road, South Pasadena, or write W. B. ENGLE, 305 Grant Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME IN ELlersile Park, South Pasadena; twenty-five minutes from downtown; surrounded by costly residences; one acre of ground, magnificent oaks; beautiful lawns and flowers, billiard-room; sleeping porches; garage; absolutely modern. Appraised at $16,000; will sell for $12,500; terms $4500 cash; balance can remain. R. B. CHAPMAN, Main 1875. 431 Security Bldg. F4728.

Glendale.

FOR SALE—OUR BOOKLET ON THE SUBject of suburban land development and the science of land profits, should be read before investing in suburban homesites or deciding upon location. It contains 44 pages, well illustrated and is free. Call or write for it. WESTERN EMPIRE MAGAZINE, 100 Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM BUNGALOW JUST finished, 1451 Salem street, between Central and Remington, 7 minutes' walk to P. E. car line and business district; good location. Will sell on terms; price $3300. Sunset PHONE 475J.

FOR SALE — THE BEST BARGAINS IN ACRES, HOUSES, LOTS, EXCHANGES. Call at No. 310 Brand Boulevard, Glendale, Cal. Telephone Sunset No. 40. See PARKER & STERNBERG last.

Sierra Madre.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES IN THE HEART of Sierra Madre; an ideal location for home, subdivision or orchard; one block from car. Price $12,000; ¼ cash. R. B. CHAPMAN, 431 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE, SIERRA MADRE, improved with two modern 5-room houses, worth $1500 each; close to car line; snap. Address G, box 151, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A LOT IN SIERRA MADRE, with 40 bearing lemon trees, best location, beautiful palm drive, for $1000, $500 cash. PHONE 41580, L. A.

HOLLYWOOD— For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE — HOLLYWOOD PROPERTY only. We live there and know values. Call for free maps and folders. C. H. LIPPINCOTT & CO., 511 Fay Bldg., Los Angeles. F6766, Broadway 433. Hollywood Branch Office, opposite De Longpre's (east.)

FOR SALE— Beach Property.

FOR SALE—SAND LOT IN OCEAN PARK near ocean front, 57 feet front, business block, or suitable for apartment house. This lot is in the midst of things and for a week only will be held at low price. Call 338 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

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FOR SALE — I OWN 37 ACRES OF THE finest kind of level garden, alfalfa or ORANGE land; 12 of which is now in alfalfa; just outside the city limits of ANAHEIM, only 50 minutes' ride from Los Angeles. I am in need of money and I will sell for $350 per acre and take $5000 DOWN, balance on time at 6 per cent. Apply to Owner, H. H. HAWLEY, 633 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE — GOOD DAIRY RANCH, 520 acres in Tulare county; 180 acres in alfalfa, 60 more ready to put in now; 200 inches of water from electric pumping plant; good improvement; 5 miles from town; flag station and switch on the place; Southern Pacific main line. Good terms. Owner at 167 WEST 36TH PLACE this week. Phone South 1464.

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE CHEAPEST 10, 20 or 30-acre pieces of land near Anaheim; can raise anything; plenty of water, land is in the Valencia district; now if you are looking for something good and that you can make a living on, see owner, 124 W. 12TH ST.

FOR SALE — HOLLYWOOD, TWO LOTS together, 50x150 each, Florence ave., between Emelita and Santa Monica Blvd. OWNER, 758 East 21st. Phone South 8050.

FOR SALE—10½ ACRES, 2½ MILES FROM El Monte. All under cultivation; 6-room house, barn, windmill and tank; 10 shares water stock. W. F. MENCKE, 714 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE, 80 ACRES of fine level land with abundance of artesian water, in San Joaquin Valley. Phone Bdwy. 5116. 500 EAST 15TH ST.

FOR SALE — SACRIFICE. MAKE OFFER on 40-foot lot, N. F., on Jefferson st. near 7th ave. Worth $1000. WEST 2353. Phone Owner.

FOR SALE — CHOICE 50-FOOT EAST-front lot, good locality, $1500; $200 down, balance to suit; also another east-front 50-foot lot, $1000. See MR. WELCH, with T. L. O'BRIEN & CO., South 2276, 25338.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1600 CLEAR, 80 ACRE foothill land, Riverside county; want 6-room bungalow, Highland Park; will assume or pay cash difference. Owner, 303 N. CHICAGO ST. Phone Boyle 640.

FOR SALE — 10-ACRE OLIVE RANCH, cheap. I have 10 acres of Mission Olives, well located; plenty of water; fine soil; will return $200 per acre; price $300 per acre; terms. Owner, E. W. SMART, 396 S. Los Angeles st. Main 4572, 60471.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—

ORANGE AND LEMON LAND. WALNUT LAND.

LA PUENTE VALLEY.

AN UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR PROFITABLE INVESTMENT TO THOSE WHO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF PRESENT LOW PRICES.

A MOST PICTURESQUE LOCATION FOR A COUNTRY HOME, CLOSE TO LOS ANGELES, 5 and 10-acre tracts; abundance of water, perfect soil and climatic conditions.

Let us tell you more about our land, or show you the property at an early date; then compare it with all the others.

MASON & MOON CO., F2334. 910-11 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 4762.

FOR SALE—

NORTH LANKERSHIM ACRES.
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Ranchers in the valley are making fortunes each season from vegetables, peaches, apricots, walnuts and chickens. Five acres mean independence. Here is your opportunity, North Lankershim Acres. The soil is a rich sandy loam, the climate perfect and abundance of free water. Only seven miles from the city, near new electric road and $500,000 boulevard.

$300 an acre and up. EASY TERMS—FREE WATER. Until Jan. 1, 1912.

Come in and get more information. Share in the prosperity of the valley. Buy a home place or for investment.

NORTH LANKERSHIM LAND COMPANY, 611-613 South Hill st. Home 10345. Broadway 2463.

FOR SALE—

FROSTLESS ORANGE and LEMON LAND, $350—PER ACRE—$350. FROSTLESS ORANGE and LEMON LAND.

Forty to 150 acres. Orange county, one hour from Los Angeles. THIS IS IN A COVE, LIES HIGH, LEVEL, NO WIND OR FROST. YES, I CAN "SHOW YOU." PRICE INCLUDES WATER. Soil is a REDDISH LOAM, with some small pebbles. IDEAL FOR LEMONS. NO HARDPAN. FINE VIEW. Discount for cash and a man who will develop at once. THIS IS GILT-EDGE and will pass RIGID INSPECTION. LET ME SHOW YOU SOME ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES WHICH THE RECENT FROST DID NOT TOUCH. THIS IS THE TIME TO JUDGE THEM. H. J. RUESS, 1103 Union Trust Bldg., 4th and Spring sts.

FOR SALE—

5-ACRE TRACTS —AT— RICHFIELD.

Forty-five minutes from Los Angeles. East of Fullerton, on kite-shaped track. Finest sandy loam soil and abundance of water. Location, soil and climatic conditions the very best for oranges. Will raise anything grown in Southern California. If planted to oranges will be worth double in a couple of years' time. While your trees are growing, you can raise enough garden truck between the trees to make your payments, and a good living besides. Only $350 per acre, with water. Terms to suit purchaser.

JACOB STERN, 404 Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—

—$16,000— GARDEN GROVE.

40 acres of the finest soil in that great farming and dairy district, well improved with good buildings, house for help, 10-inch flowing well, plenty of water the year around; 20 acres in alfalfa, balance in corn the past year; two large barns, milk house, horses, cows and some chickens; would make an extra fine dairy farm. We can make terms on this.

CONWAY & GLEASNER, 405 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE— THE BEST STOCK AND DAIRY PROPOSITION IN GLENN CO., CALIF. This will stand you in hand to investigate, 5412 acres, one and a half miles from Stonyford, 400 acres in alfalfa, 1500 acres can be put into grain, 12 miles or more of fencing, 8-room house, 3 large and one small barn, one large spring at house, 2 good sulphur springs, also salt spring so no salt need be bought for stock. Price only $20 per acre, $25,000 can remain on mortgage. Now if you want something that will make you money, call or write to KENDRICK, JACOBY & AVERY, 125 Sycamore street, Willows, Cal.

FOR SALE— WANT A RANCH? I have an improved 10-acre place, about 30 minutes' ride from down town, on electric line. The land is level, the soil a fine loam. It is improved with a house, large barn, milkhouse, corn crib, pumping plant, tank, water piped to house and barn. Chicken yard, corrals, etc. Place is fenced and cross-fenced. There is a team of fine work horses, buggy horse, cow, calf, a flock of chickens, turkeys, rubber-tired buggy, good wagon, all kinds of farming implements and hand tools. A barn full of hay. In fact, a fully equipped place. The price is much below other property as well situated, and I will sell it on easy terms. Come and see it. EMIL FIRTH, Owner, 346 S. Broadway. Home 60167. Main 2543.

FOR SALE— I have 20 and 30 acres fine orange land on Santa Ana car line, at low figure; plenty water; some fine five-acre tracts near Anaheim; 133 acres fine land as lay in one body in Southern California. Will grow anything. $300 per acre. If you want some fine ranch property in Orange county, I can get you the best buy there is. Call WINSELL, 453 I. W. Hellman Bldg., 411 S. Main st.

FOR SALE — 1120 ACRES, MURIETTA. 700 acres tillable land; house and large barn. This is a fine stock ranch and a bargain at $25 per acre. We have ranches all sizes and prices to suit buyer. Call and get a list. CHAS. MARTS, O'BRIEN INVESTMENT CO., A4607. 512 S. Hill st. Bdwy. 1064.

FOR SALE—HAWTHORNE ACREAGE. WONDERFUL BARGAIN. RIPE FOR SUBDIVISION. For a few days only. 80 acres adjoining Hawthorne, near electric line, and on line of new extension to connect with Watts. GREATEST OPPORTUNITY FOR SUBDIVISION IN SOUTHWEST TODAY. $600 per acre. STACY, 304 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—NEAR LOS ANGELES, $4000 under value, 30-acre ranch, fenced, pumping plant, thousands of water piped to modern 5-room residence; barn, chicken pens, house; good variety orchard; price $14,000; cash payment, balance time at 6½ per cent. JONES, 409 Lissner Bldg. F2291, Broadway 2349.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — FINE RElinquishment in Antelope Valley, 8 miles from Lancaster, 3½ miles from railroad; rich level sandy loam; will raise anything. A big bargain for some one. Apply at 535 CITIZENS' NAT. BANK, 3rd and Main sts., or 413 BYRNE BLDG. Phone Bdway. 2701.

FOR SALE—AN A-1 INCOME PRODUCING ranch; 60 acres alfalfa and sugar beets, $100 per acre below real value. Every acre in cultivation; good improvements; complete water system; stock and implements included; one hour from city on electric. Owner removing from California. Price $18,000 cash or terms. Telephone OWNER, Wilshire 2084.

FOR SALE—6000 ACRES, VENTURA CO., only 35 miles from Los Angeles, 7 miles from the ocean; good bean, grain and fruit land, excellent subdivision. Only $40 per acre. Come see us if you want a bargain. WEST REALTY CO., 407 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE — 70 ACRES IN SAN LUIS REY Valley, very reasonable; $3000 cash, balance on time. Stand closest investigation. House, barn, etc., 3 miles from R. R. Apply 328 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR SALE — 20 ACRES IN PATTERSON Tract, finest land and water proposition in California, $300 per acre. $1200 down, 11 years on balance. A. F. PERSONS, 420 E. Ave. 28. Phone East 1270 evenings.

FOR SALE — 60 ACRES OF GOOD SUGAR beet land near Santa Ana car line; plenty of water. Look into this. CLIFFORD G. MOORE, with Oscar B. Smith, 312-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE — 7 ACRES FINE ORANGE land at Placentia, on main road. Plenty cheap water. Bargain at $2800, easy terms. Also 5 acres close to Placentia Station for $1500, quarter cash. C. L. SIMMONS CO., 208 Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES BALDWIN PARK, NO improvements, great bargain. $1000. RIGBY, 1052 Temple st.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—

5000 ACRES. SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY, (Tulare Co.) ALL IRRIGATED. ALL IN CROPS. LEVEL AS A FLOOR.

Sediment soil, no alkali or hardpan; will wholesale all or in 640's direct to buyers, free of all commissions, on easy terms at a great sacrifice. 200 per cent. can be made on this investment in a few months by subdividing. C. H. KEGLEY, 223 West Second street.

FOR SALE — 120 ACRES IN COACHELLA Valley, right in center of artesian belt. Best date and cotton land. One mile from Thermal. Need money and will sell for $60 per acre with only $1500 cash, balance three years; or $50 per acre and one-half cash, balance two years. Will make a cash basis still more attractive if you are interested. Address L, box 93, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — ONE OF THE FINEST medium-sized stock and dairy ranches in the State; improvements are of the best, free water right; for complete information see F. K. GROVES & SON, Home 29786. South Pasadena. Main [illegible]

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; 12½ ACRES GOOD alfalfa and walnut land, 18 miles L. A.; good well, small house, barn, corral, some walnut and fruit trees, ½ mile railroad and boulevard. OWNER, 721 N. Bunker Hill, Angeleno Heights car.

FOR SALE — BY OWNER, 320 ACRES OF fruit and alfalfa land for Los Angeles city or country improved property. B. G. BEDIG, 1003 E. Washington st.

FOR SALE — $400 BUYS BIGGEST BARgain in southwest. Lot 40x152 to 16-foot alley. All street work in and paid for. Gas, electricity, etc. Yellow cars. A4790. 513 LISSNER BLDG.

FOR SALE — 400 ACRES, ORANGE BELT, Tulare county, $30 acre. Subdivide. Sell for $60. HASKELL, 521 Bryson Bldg.

FOR SALE — TWO 3-ACRE APPLE ORchards, free artesian water. J. A. PETTITT, Bell Flower, Cal.

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES OF LAND, BY owner; must be sold. For particulars call at 526 MAPLE AVE., Room 20.

FOR SALE — SNAP; 40 ACRES WITH water, $35 acre; worth $150. WEST 3739.

Santa Cruz.

FOR SALE — RANCHES, HOMES, ACREage. Free list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

OIL PROPERTY—

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FOR SALE—40 ACRES, 36-24-19, KINGS county, patented, clear, $3000; might take residence same value, city. OWNER, 1620 S. Burlington ave. 21774.

HAVE OVER 100 OIL CLAIMS TO BE relocated, will take partner with $500 to $1000. Address C, box 231, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

GOVERNMENT LANDS—

FOR SALE — SCHOOL LAND, IMPERIAL VALLEY. Talk about your Christmas presents. You will have to get a MOVE on you if you get either one of the following pieces of school land, 1 or 2 sections, according to the condition of your bank account. Water at shallow depth. Near railroad. $3.00 cash and $1.00 per acre due State, 13 years; or deeded at $4.00. Cheap at $10.00 per acre today.

480 acres deeded, fine for Oranges; should sell for $50.00 per acre. PRICE FOR A SHORT TIME, $7.50 PER ACRE CASH. Only 2 miles from new townsite on R.R. The above are special bargains. C. W. EVERETT, with NEECE-EVERETT COMPANY, 214 Wright & Callender Bldg., 4th & Hill.

I CAN LOCATE YOU ON GOOD GOVERNment land, close to R.R. and station; easy terms; level rich soil that is fine for fruit and grain farming. 320 acres fine land, will take part in trade of live stock, or anything useful. Call WINSELL, 453 I. W Hellman Bldg, 411 S. Main st.

CHUCKAWALLA VALLEY, 320 ACRES, OR 160 acres of good first-class land, surface water, $1 per acre; government land, excursion Saturday. LEE R. MYERS, 238 Bradbury Bldg.

WILL LOCATE YOU ON GOOD LAND, where water can be gotten at 60 feet. We want some good neighbors. SURVEYOR, 2103 Manitou st. Phone East 3612.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR SALE— At $50 per acre, 320 acres, of some of the best land in the San Joaquin Valley, adapted for the growing of alfalfa, this land equipped with pumping plant complete, 35 acres now in alfalfa, entire tract will grow good alfalfa, six crops per year; and is equipped for dairy ranch, with house, barn, fences, etc. Must sell immediately; situated ½ mile from railroad town. Address LOCK BOX 3, Tipton, Cal.

FOR SALE—320 ACRES, EDISON ORANGE land, beside electric power line, price $30 per acre. Alfalfa ranch lands, with or without water. R. L. EDWARDS, 1667½ Chester ave., Bakersfield.

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR alfalfa land, here is your chance, 120 acres patented, paid up water stock, best of soft soil. Price $75; terms; 240 acres for exchange, $30; 80 acres for clear city lots. C. R. CUMMINGS, 413½ S. Hill. Main 4530. F5566.

YUCAIPA VALLEY—

FOR SALE— BIG RED APPLE LAND. BARGAINS. Improved and Unimproved Land. Young and Bearing Orchards for Sale. EVERETT JACKSON, Yucaipa City. Yucaipa Valley, Cal

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FOR SALE — I AM A PIONEER OF THIS famous early market producing land and can give you the best buys. See my lists of bargains. L. C. PFAFFENBERGER, room 29, 432 S. Main st.

FOR SALE— Lemon, Orange or Walnut Groves.

FOR SALE—

A 20 PER CENT. INVESTMENT.

$19,000—Half cash, 5 acres lemons, 5 acres Washington navels, in frostless belt, 40 miles from city; shipping facilities convenient; electric service within the year; 2-story modern home, free water, implements, barn, 6000 boxes fruit now on trees, income $4000.

SHOWS 17 PER CENT ON INVESTMENT.

A 10-acre walnut grove, with $1000 worth of water stock for $7500 cash; trees 20 years old; near Anaheim. W. H. TAFT CO., 616 Wright & Callender Bldg. A4797. Broadway 3351.

FOR SALE— 32-acre ranch, of rich heavy loam, consisting of 9 acres, vigorous Valencia orange trees, 6 acres bearing, 7 acres English walnuts; 5 acres in full bearing; 16 acres in oats, grains and other crops; poultry plant of 1000 laying White Leghorns, with chicken houses, corrals, brooder houses, plenty of shade and piped water; 4-room bungalow, large barn, grain room, cow shed, this desirable property is all water stocked; faces main thoroughfare; 1 mile from railroad station, rural mail delivery, schools, churches, stores, etc. An exceptionally good opportunity for a paying ranch; land rapidly increasing in value; price is right. ANGELUS REALTY COMPANY, 623 Story Bldg.

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FOR SALE— Lemon, Orange or Walnut Groves.

FOR SALE— BEARING ORANGE GROVES [illegible] GOOD ONES.

30 acres, Placentia. [illegible]

20 acres, Placentia. [illegible]

10 acres, Anaheim. [illegible]

15 acres, Anaheim. [illegible]

30 acres, Covina. [illegible]

30 acres, Covina. [illegible]

10 acres, Covina. [illegible]

13 acres, Monrovia. [illegible]

SMALL GROVES. 5 acres, Duarte. [illegible]

5 acres, Covina. [illegible]

5 acres, Placentia. [illegible]

We have offices in the best [illegible] sections of Southern California [illegible] touch with the best buys on the [illegible]

WE HAVE MANY TO [illegible]

CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, 714-16 Central Bldg. [illegible]

FOR SALE— NEAR WHITTIER. FORCED TO SELL [illegible] 5-ACRE YOUNG LEMON [illegible] TWO AND ONE-HALF [illegible] A BARGAIN. NEED MONEY. What is a lemon grove worth [illegible] from this city? MY PRICE ONLY [illegible] macadamized boulevard [illegible] WHITTIER. NO FROST. FOOTHILLS. 5-ACRE LEMON GROVE. LATE FROST HAD NO [illegible] 7½ Miles from This City. SEE THIS TODAY. You will never buy a [illegible] again near Whittier. E. F. KRATZER. With CALIFORNIA HOME [illegible] 603 South Hill street. Phones: Main 161; Home [illegible]

FOR SALE— Poultry Ranches.

FOR SALE — POULTRY RANCHES [illegible] sandy loam soil that [illegible] every POULTRY raiser [illegible] southwest of the city [illegible] YELLOW car line. $425 is the price and [illegible] month the terms. See B. L. CLOGSTON, [illegible] way 24, Home [illegible]

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FOR SALE—

BEARING ORANGE GROVES.

GOOD ONES.

20 acres, Placentia. All set to Valencias; 15 acres 15-year-old; 15 acres 7-year-old; shares water; one of the choicest properties on our books. Price $40,000.

20 acres, Placentia. 4 acres 7-year-old Valencias; 10 acres 4-year-old Valencias; acres 7-year-old navels; about ... now on trees. Price $38,000. Terms.

10 acres, Anaheim. All in 11-year-old Valencias in fine condition. Last year's crop brought $12,000. Price $35,000. ... cash.

15 acres, Anaheim. All Valencias, 8 acres 3-year-old; 5 acres 4-year old and 2 acres 3 year old. Modern, eight-room ... Good set of outbuildings. Price ... $16,000 cash.

20 acres, Covina. 14 acres Valencias bearing. 6 acres navels full bearing; shares water. Well improved. One of the best producers in the valley. Crop this year estimated at $12,000. Price $50,000. It's a splendid buy.

20 acres, Covina. 13 acres 8-year-old Valencias; 9 acres 7-year-old navels. Crop hanging. This is a good property ... can be bought at $36,000. $20,000 ...

10 acres, Covina. Navels 12 years old, good condition. Nice crop on trees ... worth the money. $18,000. Half cash.

18 acres, Monrovia. On Foothill boulevard, gentleman's country home, highly improved, with a splendid income. Price ... $30,000 cash, balance to suit.

SMALL GROVES.

5 acres, Duarte. Navels, 12 years old, about 2500 boxes of fruit on trees. A choice piece of property. Price ... $6000 cash.

5 acres, Covina. Navels; nice crop on trees. A corner on the boulevard ... homes adjoining. Price $10,000 ... cash.

5 acres, Placentia. Without exaggeration, best 5-acre Valencia grove in the district. Price $12,500. Part time.

We have offices in the best orange sections of Southern California, and keep in touch with the best buys on the market.

WE HAVE MANY TO SUBMIT.

CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, 60193, 714-16 Central Bldg. Bdwy ...

FOR SALE—

NEAR WHITTIER.

FORCED TO SELL MY

5-ACRE YOUNG LEMON GROVE,

TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS OLD.

A BARGAIN.

NEED MONEY.

What is a lemon grove worth ... from this city?

MY PRICE ONLY $6500; $1500 cash ... macadamized boulevard; six shares water ...

WHITTIER.

NO FROST. ALL C...

FOOTHILLS.

5-ACRE LEMON GROVE.

LATE FROST HAD NO EFFECT.

7½ Miles from This Office.

SEE THIS TODAY.

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With CALIFORNIA HOME BUILDERS,

602 South Hill street.

Phones: Main 1451; Home ...

FOR SALE—GOOD BUYS IN ORANGE GROVES.

$30,000—10 acres, 2-3 valencias ... fine crop on trees. An immense ... gross packing-house receipts ... over $15,000. Investors what better do you want?

$21,000—10 acres in full bearing ... 1-3 lemons, estimate of crop (which is included if grove is bought prior to ... 10th next,) Six thousand dollars. A bargain.

$21,000—Fine 10-acre, 14-year-old navel ... with 8-room strictly modern house ... and barn. This property should readily ... $25,000, but for urgent reasons, owner ... immediate sale, hence the sacrifice ... Homeseekers if you want a fine home ... splendid paying orange grove investment, well, look this property over immediately ... it will likely soon be sold.

J. A. FITCH,

Both 'phones. ...

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, ORANGE ... navels, full of fruit, 15 years old ... water right in California. Price ... per acre; terms to suit purchaser ... acres of Valencias, 5 years old ... right, bearing well. Price $1500 per ... terms to suit. These are snaps ... HATFIELD, 303 Citizens' Nat'l Bank ... Main 386, F2355.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN FOR QUICK ... er, 5 acres of 2-year-old lemons ... miles from the city; plenty of water ... the High School; $1500 down ... 240 COLTON ST. 52652.

FOR SALE—FINE 2-YEAR-OLD ... Valencia orange grove, near Placentia ... tion; 10 shares water stock; good ... is a special bargain at $7500 ... third cash. C. L. SIMMONS COMPANY ... Trust and Savings Bldg., Sixth and ...

FOR SALE — 40 ACRES, WASHINGTON navel oranges, over 10,000 trees in full ... ing; price $37,500. This is a bargain ... looking into. Address G, box ... OFFICE.

FOR SALE — THE BEST INCOME ... grove, close in. Send postal for particulars and description. J. F. ... Constance st.

FOR SALE—Poultry Ranches.

FOR SALE —

POULTRY RANCHES, unimproved ... sandy loam soil that delights the ... every POULTRY raiser. Located ... southwest of the city. Inglewood ... YELLOW car line.

$425 is the price and $20 down ... month the terms. See

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$1100, clear—Lot on car line; want one or two beach lots, Venice, Ocean Park, Redondo or Hermosa.
G. R. COMTE,
Main 8535; 15046. 107 South Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE BUILDING PROPosition, 20 or more, East Pasadena lots, averaging $1000, for clear improved Eastern. OWNER, 801 Higgins Bldg. F4966.

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FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—TWO STERling bargains, in well improved Oregon wheat ranch, or finest California foothill country home; located La Crescenta, only ten miles from Broadway's heart. Nine acres Valencias and navels, abundance mountain spring water; 11-room modern house, double plumbing, heat and gas, beautiful recreation grounds and walks; cost $30,000. Leaving State, sacrifice for $20,000; cost of improvements; terms; consider part trade. Call MR. HOVER, Glendale. 453 Home Phone. Address La Crescenta.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—RELINQUISHment to 120 acres, good location, desirable home, 21 acres well improved, new 14-horsepower pumping plant with abundance of best soft water; 10 acres alfalfa. No 1 proposition. Price $3500; $800 cash, balance in trade. Desirable residence property 1000 feet elevation. What have you? Address "E," care of

FOR EXCHANGE—5 ACRES, 2¼ VALENCIA, balance Washington navels and Eureka lemons; one of the finest groves in the Glendora district, with new modern 7-room residence; horse and implements, go with this grove. Will consider choice income property in Los Angeles for part, with cash or mortgage back at 7 per cent. Price $14,000. 445 BRADBURY BLDG. Faires & Brown.

FOR EXCHANGE—A COUNTRY HOME IN Riverside. This is fine property, with a lot 110x265; cement walks and curbs. Will exchange for imperial land or any good clear acreage in Southern California. Price $3000; mortgage $1500.
SEA BOARD REALTY CO.,
601 Exchange Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — OWNER HAS 4½ acres navel orange grove, 2½ miles from Riverside. Trees are 18 years old. This is the best in the county. Plenty of water. All in fine shape. Will take bungalow on high ground up to $5000, balance mortgage. The price of this fine grove is only $8500. Address N, box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—200 ACRES, FINEST APple land and cherry land in Oregon; good improvements. Price $175 an acre. Want good Los Angeles property. No mortgages or junk.
HINSDALE, with
ALBERT H. BEACH CO.,
214 Douglas Bldg.
F5903. M. 3172.

FOR EXCHANGE—$5000, 5 ACRES NEAR Gardena, sandy loam soil, good water right. Good eight-room house, barn and chicken corrals. Owners are going away and want rental property in S.W. or S.E. city. This is a bargain. W. M. GRAYLAND CO., Gardena, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — 120 ACRES, UNIMproved land, 42 miles from L. A.; also 160 acres in Oklahoma, 3 miles from good R.R. town. Will exchange for good automobile as first payment, balance easy terms. GILLIAM & COGGIN, 356 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — TEN-ACRE ORANGE grove, A1 location, fine improvements, cheap water. Price $15,000. Want L. A. residence to $10,000, balance back on grove, 5 years. Phone R. W. MARKS, owner, F5452, Main 1472. 316 Trust and Savings Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — 40 ACRES, IMPROVED land, Kings County, as fine soil as ever laid out of doors; will trade for home, Los Angeles. H. L. MILLER & CO., 324 W. Sixth st.

FOR EXCHANGE — IF YOU HAVE PROPerty for sale or exchange, see FAIRES & BROWN, 445 Bradbury Bldg., Third and Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE — ALL KINDS OF CITY property in exchange for country property. Apply 228 BRADBURY BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE — GOOD CLEAR ACREage for Maxwell or Brush runabout; must be in fine condition; owners only. 403 WEST EIGHTH ST. F4820.

FOR EXCHANGE—EXCELLENT 5000-ACRE stock ranch, equipped with large barns, creamery, implements, stock, etc. Price $15 per acre; $75,000. Want Los Angeles, clear property, up to $50,000. Phone F5452. 316 TRUST AND SAVINGS BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED, GOOD TEN-acre chicken ranch, in Los Angeles county, in exchange for clear property, in Covina.
HINSDALE, with
ALBERT H. BEACH CO.,
214 Douglas Bldg.
F5903. M. 3172.

FOR EXCHANGE—3¼ ACRES HIGHLY IMproved, on Covina car line. Wants building lots in Southwest to $3000. KELSEY, with The W. H. Elwell Co.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, CLEAR, ADjoining orange groves, near Covina electric car, at Irvindale. What have you to offer? BAIERSKI CO., 501 Bryson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — A NUMBER GOOD farms for city property. H. A. UNDERHILL, with Miss L. M. Clark, 516 S. Hill.

FOR EXCHANGE—Eastern and Northern Real Estate.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for Eastern.
Member L. A. Realty Board. C. W. CONWAY, 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — BERKELEY FOR LOS Angeles, 8-room modern house, lot 90x140; close to cars and both ferry services. Phone BROADWAY 5533.

FOR EXCHANGE — 728 ACRES TEXAS land, all good, $15,000; mortgage $4000; will take residence to $15,000 and pay cash difference. See LARSON, 318 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE CAN EXCHANGE your property wherever located. H. A. UNDERHILL, with Miss L. M. Clark, 516 S. Hill. Phones Main 1355 and F2472.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES NICE LEVEL land at West Anaheim, under the ditch; valued at $4000. It has a mortgage on it of $1000; the equity $3000. I will exchange for a house and lot valued to $3000. Call on H. S. BEAVER, 310 Lissner Bldg., 524 S. Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—I MATCH ANY TRADE, large or small, in farm or city property in any State. J. A. KING, Room 1, Lyon Blk., Riverside, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE — WE MAKE REAL EState exchanges everywhere; anything good. Call or send us description. J. C. M'CARTHY & CO., Phone F6774, 514 Byrne Bldg., 253 S Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—ANY REAL ESTATE, anywhere, give me your realty of whatever kind, wherever located, for quick results. Loans. W. T. KILGROVE, 615 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — I WANT YOUR PROPerty for exchange or sale; can match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 313 H. W. Hellman.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

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FOR EXCHANGE—240 ACRES, IMPROVED Oregon, Lynn county; $30 per acre; $7200; mortgage $1600; close to R.R.

240 acres, finest orange land, in Florida, on Indian River; $30,000. Also improved, best Long Beach property, up to $35,000, clear, for stock ranch.

Three first-class lots, Westmoreland tract, $9000, clear, for ranch, near city.
LEE R. MYERS, 238 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — EXTRA FINE GROcery stock, located on fine corner, good lease, includes other storerooms, which pay all rent on corner store, occupied by the stock; daily cash sales $75 per day; price $4000; owner wants bungalow. See HEDGCOCK, with CATE & HENDERSON, 202 Mercantile Place.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Fifteen acres, well improved place, clear, eight-room house, four acres orange, well, pumping plant, just outside city limits, Anaheim. Exchange for apartment house, Santa Monica, Ocean Park, Venice preferred. Price right for quick deal.
R. G. KEENE, 503 Bryson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—25-ROOM APARTMENT, clearing $100 per month, rent $315, lease; want clear lot up to $1000, balance cash; price $1800. H. L. MILLER & CO., 324 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR EASTERN, LARGE modern house, furnace, garage, large lot to alley; price $9000; mortgage $3000. Want clear for equity. Could put in 15-acre orange grove, for larger deal; equity $21,500, together. For particulars, 'phone CLARK, South 4670.

FOR EXCHANGE — INCOME CITY PROPerty, worth $5500, for outside, $2500 equity, clear. N. TREOSTI, 103 Court. Main 5971, A2189.

FOR EXCHANGE — WHAT HAVE YOU TO exchange for fine apartment house lot on West Ninth st. near Figueroa? Value $15,000. mortgage $3500. Good house on lot. Owners only. HOME PHONE 52650, evenings.

FOR EXCHANGE—IMPROVED FARMS IN Oklahoma and Kansas; also income property. Want California property. FLOWERS, 602 Wright & Callender Bldg. F2955.

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OPPORTUNITY—
The Premier Vending Company of Los Angeles, are now offering to take subscriptions for a limited amount of preferred stock on a ground floor basis. This investment will earn 100 per cent. or more. We ask you to investigate this offer at once. Address D, box 241, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN OF INTEGRITY to make investment in and assume management of local branch of going corporation. Your investment will net what you make it. Address D, box 242, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

PARTY DESIRING TO INVEST SMALL SUM in moving picture business. Address N, box 138, TIMES OFFICE.

EXPERIENCED MAN WILL INVEST $5000 or more with services in established business. Address N, box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

BUSINESS CHANCES—For Sale.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY; 10 PERSONS with $500 to $100 each, to join us in purchasing 28 acres of fine land for subdivision, between Los Angeles and Venice, only 2 blocks from the car line, and only 28 minutes from Third and Hill sts., good soil, plenty water, 2 good bungalows on property; this is absolutely safe and will bear the closest investigation, we will double your money within one year, property will net a clear profit of about $20,000 (twenty-thousand dollars,) after subdivided and sold. We will invest $1500 ourselves in the property, and will take entire charge of subdividing, advertising and selling same; answer immediately if you want in on this. Quick action demanded. Address N, box 190, TIMES OFFICE.

NOTICE—
Have one of the best business opportunities in the State. No opposition. Preliminary work took 2 years, and is now ready to open for business. Present owners have not sufficient money to open up. Want a few good men to put in capital and take active interest. Need treasurer and manager. Must be good detail man. For full particulars address N, box 384, TIMES OFFICE.

ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN THROUGHOUT all the important cities and towns of California, Oregon and Montana; all business firms desiring any advertising, fence, circular, tin sign, etc., communicate immediately with the E. M. WOODS TRAVELING ADvertising Co., Pay when work is complete. Mezzanine floor, Howe Bldg., 129 W. Sixth st. Phones: Home F5276. Sunset Broadway 6638.

WANTED—LADY OR GENTLEMAN WITH from $500 to $1000 to act as secretary and treasurer of a book and publishing house, half interest given and a drawing account of $20 allowed weekly; indorsed by Los Angeles bankers, the best opening in Los Angeles today; references required; if you are looking for a legitimate permanent and good-paying business confer with us at once. G. A. LOSEKAMP, suite 513 Germain Bldg. Telephone Main 4532. We will call upon you

$25 IN VALUE WILL BE GIVEN FOR A few of the best cabinet size photographs having the most pleasing pose for enlarging purposes; pictures must be of the person or member of family presenting same at studio. No business by correspondence. ARTISTS' OUTFIT CO., 523A E. Fifth st., Los Angeles.

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP, FULLY EQUIPped, at Salida, Stanislaus County, new rapidly growing town in heart of alfalfa and dairying section, on S. P. Railroad, electric line building. Rent free one month. Liberal terms, good inducements. Dandy opportunity for sober, industrious man. None others need apply. This will pay to investigate. Address D. T. CURTIS, Salida, Cal.

FOR SALE—I WILL MAKE A PRESENT of $1000 to the man who buys my stock of general merchandise this week; stock clean and fresh, good location, good lease, doing $60 to $80 per day cash business; on account of failure of health must leave city at once; Phone South 273, Home 29704, or address M, box 393, TIMES OFFICE.

NEW AND ENLARGED EDITION OF THE Times Famous Cook Book now on sale. Price 25c, postage 5c extra.

GROCERIES AND MARKETS. I ALWAYS have a full list of all those businesses that are paying propositions and are for sale. No fakes listed or offered. DUNLAP, Secy. Meat Dealers' Assn., at Merchants Exchange, 296 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—½ INTEREST IN THE BEST small business in city, established for 2 years, has outgrown my best efforts to supply demands. Want party to invest $3000 and take active or silent interest. Can show the business, good will, reliability, and an unlimited field for my product. Address F, box 249, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THEATERS. IF YOU WANT to buy a theater and want a good live proposition see me. I am the best-posted man in GOOD THEATERS in California. J. HARRY CLEMENT, Theater Broker, 344-345 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

REDUCE YOUR COST OF LIVING AT least 20 per cent. by buying groceries from large wholesale and retail store in Los Angeles. We pay freight in radius of 300 miles. Send now for price list and full particulars. Address M, box 386, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THE RIGHT MAN TO TAKE some stock in a manufacturing company and keep its books, necessary to take personal interest and work to upbuild the company; experience preferred in hardware or similar lines. Address N, box 396, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WILL MAKE SMALL INVESTment in good going concern where there is an opening for a position. Have had traveling salesman's experience. Also have auto which I will use in business if necessary. Address N. box 377, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—ONE-HALF INTEREST IN ESTablished business, $125 up per month to hustler; price $350. 316 LISSNER BLDG., 524 South Spring st.

FOR SALE — $1800. GROCERY, PAYING $12 per day gross; invoiced stock, fixtures half price; the best buy in city. See SCURLOCK, with R. L. CRAIG & CO., Wholesale.

FOR SALE — A GOOD COUNTRY TIMES route, will pay $125 or more per month. Address J. B. SNYDER, care Times, Los Angeles.

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN IN NEED OF an office can learn of something to his advantage by calling 320 FERGUSON BLDG.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT DOING A FINE business, good location, sick, must sell at once. Room 614, 430 S. BROADWAY, F3265.

BUSINESS CHANCES—For Sale.

FOR SALE—I WANT TO IMPRESS THREE FACTS, which are true in regard to my LIGHT GROCERY, NOTIONS, SODA FOUNTAIN, CIGAR AND TOBACCO STAND, with one living-room:
FIRST. I have had it 3 years
SECOND. Daily sales $20 to $25 daily.
THIRD. Cash trade; no delivery, only 7 blocks from Seventh and Hill sts. and butts right up to four busy transfer corners.
I will take $525 cash, and if I had my health you could not buy it at any price.
THE LOS ANGELES HOTEL ASSN., AT 633 S. Hill st., are my agents.

A BUSINESS MAN DESIRES TO MEET party competent and able to assist in organizing a corporation or syndicate the nucleus for which can be transferred to an incorporation free of any incumbrance, debt or embarrassment; inducement open to satisfactory person who understands how to raise capital and handle the business after it is raised; the foundation is sound, and a basis for successful operation; no competition, no possibility of failure; right party can own an interest if able to assist in primary expense incidental to organization. No time for curious people or those not qualified and will act in good faith. For interview address N, box 151, TIMES OFFICE.

$175 BUYS LIGHT MANUFACTURING business clearing $3 per day, act quick.
For Sale—Restaurant doing a business of $125 per day, long lease, cheap rent, if you are from Missouri let us show you.
GOLDEN WEST INV. CO.,
305½ S. Spring st., room 33.

WANTED—A PARTY WITH $2500 TO $10,000; a man that has business ability and is capable of superintending large manufacturing business; salary about $150 per month, besides a profit in the goods; if you have the money come and see what I have to offer. Call at 422 HENNE BLDG.

FOR SALE—FULLY EQUIPPED MOVING picture show, 230 seats; low rent, now running; owner leaving city January 1; snap, $275. Address C, box 235, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THE ONLY MODERN SANItary, all-year-round mountain resort in San Diego county; fully equipped and running; on a fine auto boulevard, 1½ hours' run from San Diego. Also reached by daily train and stage. Easy terms. Address T, box 123, TIMES OFFICE.

BAKING BUSINESS FOR SALE—ESTABlished and genuine, references to millers; suit man and wife, cash business; all utensils, good horse and rig, low rent; present owner taken a ranch. Price $400. Apply 2705 S. VERMONT.

A HIGH-CLASS PUBLISHING BUSINESS. connected with an incorporated institution, to be extended in all the world; offers exceptional advantages to lady or gentleman with means and leisure for promotion. Address box 16, LONG BEACH, Cal.

HUSTLER WITH $400 FOR REAL ESTATE office, guaranteed $100 monthly; experience unnecessary. Address N, box 389, TIMES OFFICE.

IF YOU WILL INVEST $250 WITH SERVices and go on road with me I will guarantee $250 per month; pleasant business. Address N. box 327. TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — DENTAL OFFICE AND practice for the inventory price of office furniture and fixtures; rare chance, must sell. Address N. box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

STATIONERY, CIGAR, CONFECTIONERY store, close in, clears $1300 yearly; sacrifice quick, $600, worth double. PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN LUNCH counter, receipts $45-$50 daily, $300 investment required. Address N, box 384, TIMES OFFICE.

LIVERY BUSINESS CLEARING $260 TO $400 monthly, rent $65; long lease; established 1899; owner is retiring and will make any reasonable terms to responsible party; price $4000; consider exchange. See MILLER, 221 Lissner Bldg.

WILL SELL HALF INTEREST IN ESTABlished real estate and business chance office, very reasonable, doing good business. 111 S. Broadway. See MR. BECKER.

MOVING PICTURE SHOW IN NEAR-BY town, owner unable to run, and wants an offer; snap for some one; investigate. See MILLER, 221 Lissner Bldg.

POULTRY BUSINESS, IN BUSY DOWNtown street, clearing $200 to $400 monthly; one of the best equipped in city. $1000. See MILLER, 221 Lissner Bldg.

MILLINERY IN BEST BEACH TOWN; owner there four years; nets $100 up monthly, year around; exceptionally good location, $3500. See MILLER, 221 Lissner Bldg.

FOR SALE—EXPRESS, TRANSFER AND moving business, doing a first-class business; earnings net about $400 a month. Address N, box 147, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — LEASE AND FURNITURE, ground floor lease and finely furnished office for real estate business, good location, long show windows. See A. BOEKER & CO., 419 Security Bldg.

WANTED — AN ENERGETIC BUSINESS man with some capital in a clean up-to-date business that will pay $300 per month. Call at 223 HOWE BLDG.

$350; GROCERY AND RESTAURANT, DOing $15 up daily; rent $20, nice clean place, suitable for lady to run. See MILLER, 221 Lissner Bldg.

FOR SALE — HARDWARE STORE, CLEAN stock, good location, low rent; a good opportunity for the right party; full information. Call at 419 Security Bldg. A. BARKER & CO.

FOR SALE—FUEL AND FEED BUSINESS, long lease, good location, $500 takes it; must be sold this week; investigate. Address N, box 135, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MOVING PICTURE THEATER, suburbs, seats 250, all equipment first-class, doing nice business, sell cheap for cash. Owner going north. Address N. box 141, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, ESTABLISHED VEGEtable and fruit route; also span young mares; new harnesses, new wagon with top, $500. Address N, box 142, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — RESTAURANT, A BIG BARgain. 619 CENTRAL AVE., opposite car barns.

WANTED — A MAN TO JOIN ME IN starting a wood split-pulley factory in Los Angeles. Good opening. Address C, box 278. TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

GROCERY STORE, STOCK, FIXTURES, furniture for four rooms, $500 cash; cheap rent. 3722 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE — GROCERY, ABOUT $2000. Sales $60. Must sell, will discount. LARSON, 318 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE — GOOD VEGETABLE ROUTE, wagon, team and harness. Apply E. E. PRIESTAP, 774 East 14th st.

FOR SALE—BAKERY. BEST LOCATION in town, all cash store trade, investigate at once, good reasons for selling. 2711 MAIN ST., Ocean Park.

WANTED—BUTCHER, HAVE GOOD LOcation for meat market. For particulars See J. I. JOHNSON, Bell, Cal. Phone Boyle 588, Boyle 3028.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY, NOTIONS, etc., busy suburban location; big stock, rent only $20, including 2 living-rooms; price $500. See MILLER, 221 Lissner Bldg.

FOR SALE—$650 CASH, A SNAP; FINE lot, one-half block west of Vermont, on 61st st. M6433. F5345.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; 2 LOTS, BONNIE Brae, near Temple and East Hollywood, $500 and $1200; fine neighborhood. Owner, WEST 849.

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS BAKERY, REceipts $32 to $60 a day cash; near by town, no competition; reasons for selling business elsewhere. Address H, box 348, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—2 STORES IN BEST BUSINESS center, on W. 16th st., suitable for hardware, dry goods, or other mercantile lines. PHONE 72525, or WEST 763.

FOR SALE—A GOOD LAUNDRY ROUTE, strictly family trade; 3 days' work in week. Price reasonable. Selling on account of death in the family. 1626 WEST 30TH

WE OFFER A VERY PLEASANT BUSIness in brokerage line; large office, nice furniture, low rent, very cheap. Be quick. McCREAS, 307 Henne Bldg., 122 W. 3rd.

FOR SALE —SUBURBAN TRANSFER AND storage business; will exchange for vacant property. Address N, box 55, TIMES OFFICE.

PICTURE THEATER FOR SALE, COMpletely equipped, $800. This price includes a year's rent. 625 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

FOR SALE — DYE WORKS DOING BIG business, best opportunity for man with small capital. Inquire 2490 W. PICO, corner Vermont.

FOR SALE—OR RENT— RESTAURANT; IN a thriving R. R. town. Furnished complete. Address BOX 116, Barstow, Cal.

FOR SALE—SALOON. BEST CORNER IN Oakland, doing largest business, long lease; will stand closest investigation. A. S. KAUL, 1151 Washington st Oakland, Cal

FOR SALE—DRESSMAKING SHOP IN town of 12,000. Fine location for ladies' tailor. Address B, box 270, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A GOOD COUNTRY ROUTE on The Times. Address J. B. Snyder, care Times office.

$4300 BUYS AUTO TRANSFER BUSINESS clearing $500 month; regular line of cash customers; 6 cars; cost about $8000. COAST REALTY, 135½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE — SNAP. CONFECTIONERY, fruit and soda water trade; must sell at once on account of sickness. Call 643 SOUTH SPRING.

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CIGAR STAND, CORNER, MAHOGANY fixtures, good stock, positively clearing $6 to $7, under a trial; must sell today, only $425.
DELICACY and branch bakery; good stock; oven, etc., $650.
$400 CASH takes possession of a moving-picture theater in a thriving near-by town.
BEST GROCERY for money in city, all cash trade; must sell before January 1; less than $1500.
See SIMPSON, 202½ S. Broadway.
Clear titles guaranteed. Est. 1896.

$150 FOR ½ INTEREST IN AN ESTABlished business; party to act as cashier. Address N, box 340, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MEAT MARKET, 617 E. FIRST ST.

BUSINESS CHANCES—Wanted and Miscellaneous.

WANTED — GROCERY UP TO $2500, FOR cash and good lot. LARSON, 318 Grant Bldg.

SWAPS—All Sorts.

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FOR EXCHANGE — COMPLETE COURSES piano and harmony instruction; leading gentleman teacher; make a Christmas present which will be appreciated; studios here and Pasadena; Leipsic graduate. What have you to offer? Address L, box 33, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — EQUITY IN HOUSE and lot, off Moneta. Trade or part cash; also 160 acres land; rooming-house or what have you? Address D, box 250, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—A GOOD $25 SADDLE; L. C. Smith shotgun; a full set of Lyman sights for rifle; a fine hand made violin; a good mandolin; $6 fountain pen; phonograph, 200 records. Want high grade watch, piano, motorcycle or what? 323 W. 56TH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE — WHAT HAVE YOU TO trade for lots in the city of Las Vegas, Nevada, 4 blocks from school, $1200, clear. Owner. Address N, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — CLEAR LOT OR LOTS FOR Weber, Chickering or Steinway piano; must be in first-class condition. CHAS. B. MULLALY, Altadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—EDISON PHONOGRAPH for Underwood Typewriter. E. B. JENKINS, 131 W. 16th st. Phone 22143.

FOR EXCHANGE—AUTOS, PARTS, TIRES bought sold. METZ, 921 S. Main. F1958.

MONEY TO LOAN—Real Estate and Improvements.

MONEY TO LOAN—
We want to loan at once on first-class security:
$15,000 AT 6 PER CENT.
$10,000 AT 7 PER CENT.
And other amounts.
HOVIS & EVANS,
F5226, Main 8488. 226-7 Bradbury Bldg.

TO LOAN—MONEY—
SEE US FIRST AND AVOID DELAY AND UNNECESSARY ANNOYANCE.
NORMAN INVESTMENT COMPANY,
EXCLUSIVELY REAL ESTATE LOANS,
MAIN 613. 507 TRUST & SAVINGS BDG. A4370.

TO LOAN—MONEY—
IN ANY AMOUNT AT LOWEST RATES.
ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
LOAN DEPARTMENT,
WRIGHT & CALLENDER CO.,
403 S. HILL ST.
10746. MAIN 8040.

TO LOAN—MONEY—
$500 TO $100,000.
ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
VACANT OR IMPROVED.
RESIDENCE OR RANCH LOANS.
MORTGAGES PURCHASED.
APPLY A. K. MERROW
5242. ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO. M.3233.
508 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

TO LOAN—MONEY—
$3000 to $3500 to loan at 7 per cent., on residence west or southwest. Money ready and waiting for right kind of loan. Also $1000 for 1 or 2 years at 7 per cent., city vacant or improved. HILDESHEIM & SCHILLER, 508 Delta Bldg. F5426; Main 5025.

MONEY TO LOAN IN AMOUNTS FROM $1000 to $30,000 on good city and country real estate; money loaned on approval on your security. MR. MULL, 203 Security Bank Bldg. Main 2151, F1194.

FOR SALE—A HIGH-GRADE PIANO, WILL take an acre in southwest as part payment or pay difference. 1330 W. WASHINGTON ST.

CITY AND COUNTRY LOANS.
F. A. PATTEE.
Manager Loan and Appraisement Dept.
ELLIOTT & HORNE INV. BROKERS.
325 W. 3rd st. (ground floor.) Main 1171 A2715.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE mortgage security, contracts for sale of real estate; mortgages and trust deeds purchased. CHARLES LANTZ, Attorney. 403 Bullard Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—
We have plenty of money on hand to loan at current rates, on first mortgage real estate security.
DAVID BARRY & CO.,
716-719 Union Trust Bldg.
Ask for MR. McGREGOR, Mgr. Land Dept.

TO LOAN — IF YOU OWN A GOOD LOT WE will take a 3-year mortgage for the price of the home, at 7 per cent. interest; no commission or delay. Plans free.
PERRY-WILLIAMSON CO.,
202-204 Grant Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.
Loans promptly closed from our own funds.
Terms to suit borrowers.
HUMFREVILLE BROS. & CO., INC.,
564 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—SOME GOOD LOANS, UP TO $10,000; prefer first-class residence property. Address N, box 189, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FOR SALE, FIRST MORTGAGE, $20,000, 9 per cent., runs 4 years. Need the money immediately. Will sell for $17,500. E. C. MILLAR, 136 West 24th.

TO LOAN—$900 ON L. A. REAL ESTATE; $3000 on improved residence, and $3500 on ranch land. Main 595.
F. J. STEELE & CO., 303 H. W. Hellman Building.

MONEY TO LOAN—$5000, ON GOOD CITY improved property. Will loan at once if security is good. Address N, box 192, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN—$1000, 3 YEARS, ON IMproved city property; private party. Address N, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.
City and Country.
Any Amount.
GROVER T. GARLAND,
1106 Trust and Savings Bldg.
Main 1170. Home F2863.

MONEY TO LOAN—IN AMOUNTS FROM $500 $10,000; must be A-1 real estate security. See THOMAS LLOYD, office 3553 University ave. Office Phone Home 23406, Sunset West 3260. Residence, South 4697.

$4000 TO LOAN ON GOOD LAND WELL LOcated in this county. Private money. If your security is good call quickly, as we are ready for the deal. M. M. DAVISON & SON, 316-18 Trust and Savings Bldg.

TO LOAN—RECENT ARRIVAL WISHES TO loan $10,000 or $15,000 on good ranch property. PATTEE, ELLIOTT & HORNE, 325 W. 3rd. A2715, Main 1171. (7 per cent. street bonds a specialty.)

PRIVATE MONEY, NO RED TAPE, ANY amount, on good security. M. M. DAVISON & SON, 316-18 Trust Bldg., 6th & Spring.

MONEY TO LOAN BY PRIVATE PARTY, at 7 per cent. interest, on real estate; large or small amounts. 221 HENNE BLDG.

FARNSWORTH BROS. MAKE LOANS ON real estate; building loans a specialty. 319 LISSNER BLDG.

MONEY LOANED, CONTRACTS AND mortgages bought. A. M'CALL, 314 Bullard Blk.

PRIVATE MONEY, 6 AND 7 PER CENT., NO DELAY, ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY; STRAIGHT BUILDING LOANS. LOCKHART & SON, 731 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. MAIN 4335, A6773

$300 TO $250,000 TO LOAN ON REAL EState and other good securities at current rates.
M'CONNELL & IRVINE,
311-12 Douglas Bldg. Established 1886.

QUICK SHORT LOANS ON REAL ESTATE, $50 to $1000; first or second mortgage; money same day; no brokerage fees; low rates. H. M. CORLETTE, 201 Security Bldg., 510 South Spring. F7151; Main 6062.

MONEY LOANED ON FIRST AND SECOND mortgages and trust deeds; lowest rates. R. R. EMPLOYEES' LOAN CO., 509 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A1135.

MONEY TO LOAN—Real Estate and Improvements.

$1,000,000 TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE—
5 to 7 per cent. net. interest.
No appraisement fees.
No delays, no red tape. Any sum desired.
Large or small city loans a specialty.
Southwest residence loans sought.
Improved ranch loans solicited.
Cash for mortgages and deeds of trust.
WE MAKE STRAIGHT BUILDING LOANS.
5 to 6 per cent. on A1 business property.
7 per cent. on A1 residence property.
8 per cent. on 2nd grade residence property.
We furnish bungalow plans.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS,
The Leading Mortgage Brokers,
329 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring.

I MAKE QUICK LOANS FOR 30-60-90 DAYS
$50 to $1000.
Real Estate.
1st. Mortgage.
2nd. Mortgage.
Trust Deeds.
Leases. Bonds.
Escrow Deals.
V. H. STEELE,
406 Fay Bldg.,
Third and Hill.
REMEMBER! I MAKE QUICK LOANS ONLY.

MONEY TO LOAN—
$300 TO $100,000.
ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
VACANT OR IMPROVED.
RESIDENCE LOANS WANTED.
RANCH LOANS SOLICITED.
MORTGAGES PURCHASED.
APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT.,
ROBERT MARSH & CO.,
TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.,
SIXTH and SPRING STS.
HOME 10175. 2ND FLOOR. MAIN 5045.

TO LOAN—
MONEY TO LOAN.
IN AMOUNTS TO SUIT.
At 6 and 7 per cent. interest.
If you want money on improved city or country property at a low rate of interest, I can furnish it; no delay.
Trust Deeds Bought.
Mortgages Purchased.
J. BURRIS MITCHEL,
F1777. 912 Security Bldg. Main 3380.

TO LOAN—MONEY—
COME TO HEADQUARTERS.
For private money, if you have good real estate security; we have over twenty-five years local record behind us, and a large list of clients who depend on our judgment and reputation; $500 to $100,000 to loan; we draw papers and save time, trouble and expense.
EDWARD D. SILENT & COMPANY,
Main 695. 403 S. Hill st. 10695.

TO LOAN—MONEY.

We have money to loan in sums of from $500 to $50,000 at current rates on first mortgage, at a fair valuation of your property.
We make no charges for appraisement or drawing of papers.

CHAS. L. HUBBARD COMPANY.
724 Security Bldg., Fifth and Spring.
Established 1896.

TO LOAN—
BUILDING LOANS.
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6 Per Cent.—BUILDING LOANS.—7 Per Cent.
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Money at 6 and 7 per cent. Straight three-year building loans a specialty.
CHANDLER, GORE & CO.,
502-4-5 Bradbury Bldg.
Home F7121. Main 2715.

WE HAVE MONEY FOR BUILDING. NO commission. Call and see our plans. No charge for estimates. M. & A. CONSTRUCTION CO., 718 Story Bldg.

PRIVATE MONEY TO LOAN—
On real estate. First mortgages and trust deeds purchased. We are on the ground floor. Come in and see us. Money always ready.
FRIENDLY & FYBUSH,
111 Merchants' Trust Bldg.
F5887. 207 Broadway.

MONEY TO LOAN—$2000.
$3000.
$25,000—Will split.
S. R. EARNEST & CO., MORTGAGE BROKERS,
831 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A8757; Main 5555.

MONEY TO LOAN—
ANY AMOUNT, 5, 6 AND 7 PER CENT. ON CITY PROPERTY, QUICK ACTION.
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IF YOU ARE WORRIED by small accounts, call on us; we will advise you and supply you with money and take as security a mortgage on your FURNITURE, PIANO, HORSES, WAGONS, BUGGIES, and LIVE STOCK and you can repay us in small weekly or monthly payments.
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S.E. corner Fifth and Spring.

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Old and new customers will find us at 124 SOUTH SPRING.

MONEY WANTED—Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY.
$3000 FOR 3 YEARS AT 7 PER CENT., ON A BUSINESS CORNER, RIGHT NEAR 10TH AND VERMONT, WORTH $4500. APPLY AT ONCE TO
MINES & FARISH,
252 SOUTH HILL ST.

WANTED—MONEY. FIRST MORTGAGES.
JOSEPH REED CO.,
304-5 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
Phones, 10723 or Broadway 2023.
$2500—7 per cent.—Lake, W. Sixth, improved.
$3000—7—Berendo, W. Pico, 8 rooms.
$3500—7—Business, improved, faces W. Washington.
$2500—7—Near West 16th, W. Adams Heights, improved.
$3500—7—Corner dwelling, Washington, Magnolia.
$2500—7—West 30th, at Hoover, 8 rooms.
$3500—8—West 47th, Budlong, 3-room house.
$3500—8—West 22d, Normandie, 9 rooms.
$2500—8—Near Maple, 28th, (2) dwellings.
$3750—7—New 9-room house, Hollywood.
$3700—7—West 40th Place, 50 ft., improved.

WANTED — MONEY, ON FOLLOWING loans. Value.
$1500—7—8-room house .... [illegible]
$2000—7—6-room bungalow .... [illegible]
$2000—7—6-room bungalow, new .... [illegible]
$3500—7—4½ acres, improved .... [illegible]
$3000—7—Gramercy Place .... [illegible]
$6000—7—Corner on 16th st. $14,000
$16,500—7—Figueroa st. cor., improved, $35,000
F5177. R. W. KINSEY & CO. Bdwy. 226.
819 Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th & Spring sts.

WANTED— $1600. WANTED.
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At Once.
First mortgage on house and lot, valued $3800. See MR. O'BRIEN, 512 S. Hill st. A4697 and Broadway 1064.

WANTED — $25,000, 1 YEAR, 10 PER CENT.
Building loan. Modern 3-story brick apartment house, containing 81 rooms, 26 suites with private baths and cabinet kitchens each, elevator, steam heat, building to cost $45,000. Close-in corner. For further information
SEE ALF. G. BOETTGER,
Loan and Insurance Dept.,
WITH SWANK & LETTON,
F2624. 339 S. Hill st. Main 2624.

WANTED — MONEY. THE FOLLOWING amounts are wanted on good city property, from private owners: Loan of $2750 for 3 years at 6 per cent. We want five $1000, 3-year, 7 per cent. loans. Have client wishing a 3-months' loan of $1000 on first-class security and will pay 10 per cent. G. C. DENNIS, 226-227 Security Bldg. F4744, Main 2528.

WANTED—FOR SALE.
A first mortgage for $6500, secured by highly improved property, in a choice location and conservatively worth $13,500. This is absolutely a gilt edged loan, but for prompt action will discount to net NINE per cent. interest. See the PRINCIPAL at 537 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

WANTED—$1250, 3 YEARS AT 7 PER CENT., on new 6-room bungalow, in Glendale; lot 50x190; value $2800.
$4200—3 years at 7½ per cent., on 6 acres, improved, with new 6-room bungalow, in city, on Edendale car line; cash value $9000. S. R. EARNEST & CO., 831 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A8757, Main 5555.

WANTED — $3500 ON FIRST MORTGAGE. security for 2 years, 8 per cent. PHONE 53457.

Classified Liners.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES
$...00—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 50x150, on E. Avenue 28, near Griffin ave., with 5-room house, value $2000.
$1350—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 45x123, in fine location in Boyle Heights, with 5-room bungalow; value $2800.
$1400—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 45x103, on 52nd place, just off South Park avenue, with new 6-room bungalow with fine outside chimney, cement porch and buttresses; value $3000.
$1400—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x140, on Maceo st., near Isabella, with beautiful 5-room bungalow; value $3000.
$1400—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x159 on Sulphur st., near Cypress ave., with handsome 5-room bungalow; value $3000.
$1400—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 40x140 on Merced st., near Cypress ave., with picturesque 5-room modern bungalow; value $3000.
$1500—5 years, 8 per cent., on lot 43x107, on 52nd place, just off South Park ave., with new 5-room bungalow, value $3000.
$1500—3 years, 8 per cent., net, on lot 50x150, on Louise st., near Doran st., Glendale, with 5-room bungalow, value $3000.
$1500—3 years, 8 per cent., lot 45x130, on E. Sixth st., near Spence st., with fine 5-room bungalow; value $3100.
$1600—2 years, 8 per cent., net, on lot 40x128, on 57th st., between South Park ave., and San Pedro sts., improved with fine large 5-room modern bungalow, valued at $3200.
$1600—3 years, 8 per cent., on fine modern 5-room bungalow and lot 40x130, on W. 56th st., between Vermont and Budlong aves., value $3200.
$1600—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on lot 41x135, on Dalton ave., near 37th place, with fine 6-room bungalow; total value $3200.
$1700—3 years, 8 per cent., lot 50x157, on Sycamore st., near Central ave., Glendale, with a fine new 6-room bungalow; value $3500. This is a very fine property.
$1750—3 years, 8 per cent., lot 43x130, on W. 51st st., near Budlong ave., with 6-room bungalow; value $3000.
$1900—3 years, 8 per cent., on lot 42x145 on W. 51st st., near Budlong ave., in Vermont Avenue Square, improved with strictly modern 6-room bungalow; value $4000; occupied by owner.
$2000—3 years, 8 per cent., lot 50x134, on Dalton avenue, near Santa Barbara avenue, with fine 6-room house; value $4500.
$7000—3 years, 8 per cent., on 80-acre ranch, Coachella Valley; 20 acres in cotton, 20 in alfalfa; 40 acres unimproved, but with 1750 eucalyptus trees; fine pumping plant; house, barn, etc.; value $15,000.
$1450 to $1600—3 years, 8 per cent. We have 4 separate mortgages in the above amounts, made by a prominent building company, whose interest checks are ready the day it falls due, and each covers a fine new house just completed. They are in southwest, fine location. Call at once. They will not last (We had 20—17 have been sold.)
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WANTED—MONEY. FIRST MORTGAGES.
JOSEPH REED CO.,
204-5 O. T. Johnson Bldg.
$4000—7—Ellendale Place, 9-room house.
$4000—7—Rampart, Westlake, 9 rooms.
$4000—8—Van Ness at West 16th, improved.
$4000—7—Figueroa, Vernon, 10 rooms.
$4000—7—Alameda, 10th, improved, $11,000.
$4000—7—Irolo, West Seventh, new house.
$4000—8—Wilton, West Pico, new, improved.
$4500—7—West 41st, Figueroa, new apts.
$4500—7—West 17th st., Figueroa, 8 rooms.
$4500—7—Large frontage, Western, Wilshire.
$4500—7—9 rooms, new, W. Seventh, Andrews.
$5000—6½—Corner Wilshire Blvd., value $15,000.
$5000—7—Westlake at W. Seventh, 10 rooms.
$4500—7—Alvarado, Ocean View, 9 rooms.

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WANTED—MONEY.
$1000—4 per cent., 6-room cottage, Garnet st., $2000.
$1000—8 per cent., 4-room modern bungalow, S. Crocker, $2400.
$1200—7 pc., 6-room modern, Alice st., $2650.
$2500—8 pc., 90 lots, Pasadena line, $15,000.
$1800—7 pc., 7-room modern bungalow, South Hobart, new and up-to-date, $3750.
$3000—8 pc., close-in corner on West 8th st., high-class property, $14,000.
$10,000—7 pc., West Temple and Alvarado; will put in property worth $27,500.
HOVIS & EVANS,
F5226, Main 8458, 236-7 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED — $12,500 ON A 76-ACRE RANCH at Nordhoff. There are on this place 30 acres of Washington navel and Valencia oranges in bearing, $5000 crop now on trees; perpetual flow of water free, in addition to well and pumping plant. The location is frostless and the grove beautifully situated. We have personally inspected this property and thoroughly recommend this to any one wanting a good country loan. HOVIS & EVANS, 236-7 Bradbury Bldg. F5226, Main 8458.

WANTED—MONEY—
HIGHEST CLASS MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS ON LOS ANGELES CITY AND COUNTY PROPERTY. MORTGAGE MADE DIRECT TO MORTGAGEE. MONEY WANTED IN AMOUNTS OF $2000 TO $6000 AT 7 PER CENT. NET., ON RESIDENCES. $10,000 TO $50,000 AT 6 AND 7 PER CENT. ON BUSINESS PROPERTY.
NORMAN INVESTMENT COMPANY,
EXCLUSIVELY REAL ESTATE LOANS,
MAIN 613. 507 TRUST & SAVINGS BDG. A4370.

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If you have money to loan and are looking for good first mortgages security, SEE US.
We can furnish you with first-class loans at all times, and we never submit to you an application that we have not first investigated ourselves.
CHAS. L. HUBBARD CO.,
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Established 1896.

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We want money to loan on first mortgages in amounts from $1000 to $25,000.
We have on hand applications for loans which we have already thoroughly investigated and approved.
Every loan submitted to you has stood the "acid test."
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503-4-5 Bradbury Bldg. F3121. Main 2715.

WANTED—MONEY.
$100 TO $100,000.
ON CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY.
VACANT OR IMPROVED.
APPLY TO MR. KELLY, LOAN DEPT.,
ROBERT MARSH & CO.,
Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring.
Phones—10175, Main 5046.

WANTED—MONEY.
$640—7 per cent., 3 years, five-room cottage, near 47th and Central; value $2000.
$1000—7—3 years, near 10th and Valencia, small house and lot; worth $3000.
R. W. MOYER. 604 Frost Bldg.
F5107. Main 1511. Second and Broadway.

WANTED — $2700, 2 YEARS AT 7 PER cent., on property west of Main, worth $6000.
$5500—3 years at 7 per cent., on ranch land, valued at $20,000.
F. J. STEELE & CO.,
A5237. 303 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—$1800, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., secured by first mortgage, on 7-room bungalow, in southwest; near University. S. D. MURDOCK, 234 Byrne Bldg. A3544, Main 4721.

WANTED—MORTGAGE FOR SALE, A $25,-000 mortgage, drawing 6 per cent. net, on close-in San Diego business property. Call at Apartment 401, WILHELM APARTMENTS, 639 Grand ave.

WANTED — I WANT $1000 AT 7 PER CENT. and will give as security 5 acres of fine land on the Santa Ana electric line, and the new furniture of a close-in apartment house. OWNER, 306 Severance Bldg. Main 137; F3193.

WANTED—MONEY.
$1800—3 years, 7 per cent., first mortgage, on city residence property.
PHONE 31447 (owner.)

WANTED—MONEY.
$2000—3 years, 7 per cent., first mortgage, city residence property. PHONE 31447 (owner.)

WANTED—I WANT UP TO $20,000 TO MANUFACTURE an automobile tire. The demand is without limit and the device perfect. Rare opportunity. CHARLES W. LIST, 1021 Central Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY, PAY 8 PER CENT.
$1800 and $2000—First mortgage, on city residence. Want loans at once.
PHONE 31447.

WANTED—$3500, 7 PER CENT., TWO 50x150, east front lots, on finished street, improved with modern cement veneer 8-room house; total value $8500. PATTEE; ELLIOTT & HORNE, 325 W. Third. Main 1171, A2715.

WANTED — $12,000, 3 YEARS AT 7 PER cent., on acreage, 3½ miles from western city limits; worth $27,000. R. H. TRAVERS, 614 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—I WANT TO BORROW $800, ON a Monrovia corner, 55x150, worth $1600. Will pay 8 per cent. Street work done on both streets. Address 122 Flat B, N. HOPE.

WANTED—I WANT TO BORROW $800 TO $1000, on 4 acres, orange land, near Fullerton, worth $2000; will pay 8 per cent. Address APARTMENT 5, 317 N. Figueroa.

WANTED—LOAN OF $1200, GOOD SECURity; private party, 8 per cent. interest. PHONE 41670.

WANTED — $10,000 ON A NEW STORE and apartment building bringing an income of 10 per cent. on a valuation of $28,000. HOME PHONE 81387.

MONEY WANTED—
On Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—$6500, 2, 3 YEARS, 7, 7½ PER cent., on stores and cottage, large lot; income property. Agents please reply. Two per cent. commission.
W. C. EYMANN,
53785. 741 Whittier st., city.

WANTED—MONEY.
$650—7 per cent., 3 years, five-room cottage, near 47th and Central; value $2000.
$1000—7—3 years, near 10th and Valencia, small house and lot; worth $3000.
R. W. MOYER. 604 Frost Bldg.
F5107, Main 1511. 2nd and Broadway.

WANTED—MONEY AT 8 PER CENT., IF loaned at once, first mortgage, Long Beach real estate. $8000; one loan or $10,500 and $16,500 another. BOSTON REALTY CO., 4 Pine ave., Long Beach, Cal.

WANTED — $10,000 AT 7 PER CENT., ON 41-room building. Flower st., value $22,000. GEO. K. PALMER, 710 Merchants' Trust Bldg. F2857, Main 623.

WANTED—FOR SALE, FIRST MORTGAGE $19,000, paying 11 per cent. per annum, on 47 acres at Inglewood, partly improved; value $42,500. PATTON & LONGLEY CO., 330 South Hill.

WANTED — $2000, 18 MONTHS, 8 PER cent., on 10 acres of fine citrus land near station at La Habra, inspected and appraised by us at $6000. S. R. EARNEST & CO., 831 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. A4757. Main 5555.

WANTED — TO SELL $700 TRUST DEED for $600, if taken at once; mortgage loan of $1250 preceeds this security on a nearly completed home worth from $3000 to $3300. HOME PHONE 31257.

WANTED—$3000 ON 640 ACRES GOOD LAND, artesian water, elegant soil, near railroad, in Los Angeles county. Perfect title. GRAY, 306 Mercantile Place.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $1700 TO BUILD A house at Chino, good security; also other building loans, commission paid. Apply 517 HIGGINS BLDG. Telephone Broadway 2397.

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WANTED—MONEY ON TWO CONTRACTS, $3275. This is a first-class buy; principal deeds to buyer. Will discount $450 monthly; income $35, including interest. Hooper ave. car to 1479 EAST 42D ST. See owner.

WANTED—TO BORROW $500 TO $75,000 on mortgage on close-in city income property; T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. Sixth st.

WANTED — $40,000 TO PUT UP 2-STORY brick or store building. Good security. Address DRAWER H, Modesto, Cal.

WANTED—$1750 LOAN ON BRAND NEW 6-room cottage, 50-foot lot, close-in, $4000 value, 7 per cent., 3 years; no agent. Address N, box 103, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — $4000, ON FINE IMPROVED property, Glendale, worth $10,000. Address N, box 183, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ON A NO. 1 INCOME PROPERty, $5500, 3 years at 7 per cent. F. H. REDPATH CO., 4208 Moneta ave.

WANTED—TO BORROW $15,000 ON CLOSE in business income property, worth $42,500. T. WIESENDANGER, 408 W. Sixth st.

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All bank stocks, offer.
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30 SHARES SINALOA STOCK,
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For quick sale will sell above stock at $22.50 per share, all or any part.
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Oil Company stock,
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Address N, box 328, TIMES OFFICE.

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100 to 50,000 gallons redwood, iron; special this week. 2000 gallons heavy galvanized at $24.50. One 15,000 galv., $75; 18,000, $90; others all prices. DEMMITT, 120 N. Main.

FOR SALE — THE SECOND-HAND SODA fountain now in Amundson's Drug Store, at 61st and Moneta, at your own price. Phone Broadway 4343 or Home 10157, and ask for Soda Department, or call at 237 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

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FOR SALE — BIG REDUCTIONS ON ALL kinds of furniture. You can buy your furniture cheap here—Clearance prices on everything. Big opportunity to save. Come early.

85c	Picture	60c
$1.00	Fumed oak plate rack	75c
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$3.00	iron bed, best enamel	$2.25
$4.00	matting covered box	$3.00
$5.00	wringers, best gum rollers	$3.50
$6.00	kitchen cupboard	$4.75
$7.00	fumed oak rocker, leather seat	$5.00
$7.50	wardrobe couch	$5.50
$11.00	easel mirror	$8.50
$12.50	music cabinet	$9.50
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THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.

Automobiles.

I HAVE A HIGH CLASS 4-PASSENGER car of standard manufacture, costing $4200, that I must sell soon for reasons not necessary to state here. This car is fully equipped, has been newly painted, and has a detachable tonneau of the suburban type, making an excellent car for a rancher, since it can be utilized for either business or pleasure. I am ashamed to quote the price but it is right. If you can use a high-class 4-passenger car in tip top condition, look this over. Car is 1910 model. Address N, box 391, TIMES OFFICE.

$800 TODAY, 1911 E.M.F. FIVE-PASSENGER, new tires, Martin shock absorbers, trunk, speedometer, top and glass front; condition strictly first-class; a real bargain.
W. F. PIPHER & CO.,
1201-1203 South Main,
Corner 12th.

FRANKLIN ROADSTER, LATE DATE, for $900, that is worth $1700 to $1800, but owner has purchased a 7-passenger Franklin and has no use for this car, come quick and see this bargain; Franklins always come and go no matter where you wish to go. Daytimes at 1124 S. MAIN; evenings at home.

FOR SALE—CHALMERS "30" PONY TONneau, equipped, new seat covers, new top, speedometer, everything that makes it complete. Perhaps this is the car you are looking for. See it at H. O. HARRISON CO., 1214 S. Main st.

$700 TODAY,—1911 STANLEY STEAMER, four-pasenger, glass front, speedometer, etc.; almost brand new; run less than 1000 miles; act quick.
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1201-1203 South Main,
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1912 E.M.F. "30," FIVE-PASSENGER, FORE-door, completely equipped; almost brand new. Sacrifice for quick cash sale.
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FOR SALE—SIX-CYLINDER, 7-PASSENGER Peerless. This car used but very little, you cannot tell it from new car. Here is a chance if you want a fine big car at a price that will surprise you. Cost you nothing to see it. H. O. HARRISON CO., 1214 S. Main st.

WANTED—50 CARS. WHAT HAVE YOU? We want cars of all standard makes and at fair prices; must be in first-class condition and subject to inspection. Call or telephone at once. AUTOMOBILE CLEARING-HOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 S. Broadway. F3981, Main 836.

FOR SALE—$750; 1911 OVERLAND ROADster, 20-H.P., newly painted, cannot be told from a new car. Completely equipped, top, dust hood, speedometer, Earl folding windshield and prestolite tank. A genuine bargain. MILLER & WILLIAMS, 1140 S. Olive st. Phone F2942 or Broadway 2907.

FOR SALE—A $1000, 6-CYLINDER, 3 OR 4-seat roadster for $370, perfect condition and a good looker; don't miss this bargain as owner has purchased a larger car for his family use. 1124 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED — 4-CYLINDER DOUBLE CHAIN drive auto. Don't care what condition body and tires are in. Want to rebuild. Must be cheap for spot cash. Phone 25315 before 9 a.m., or address N, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — A 7-PASSENGER 1911 OLDSmobile, $2500 value, (special;) fully equipped and in first-class condition; am leaving the city and will sell at a bargain, or trade in on clear city real estate. Inquire Apt. 401, WILHELM APTS., 639 Grand ave.

$750 WILL TAKE A CHALMERS 30 THAT is worth $1250; runs and looks like new; all tires just like new, with one new extra outer tire, also has glass front and Warner speedometer; party going away cause of this low price. 1124 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—40-HORSEPOWER, SEVEN-PASsenger automobile; excellent opportunity to get a good car for any kind of use; only $500. See me at once, as this won't keep. 307 W. EIGHTH ST.

$275—WILL PURCHASE A 4-CYLINDER, 5-passenger touring car in the best of running order, and looks like new, as it has been varnished, has top and extras, and is worth $750 to $800, but must sell at once, going away. 1124 S. MAIN ST.

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WANTED—BUICK 30; FORD, MODEL T OR Maxwell 2-cyl., bring your car to 963 S. MAIN ST., and get the cash.

FOR SALE—MAXWELL RUNABOUT, THORoughly overhauled and revarnished, best looking car in its class. First offer of $300 gets it. Phone HOME 22832. No agents.

FOR SALE—FOUR-CYL. ROADSTER, 40 H.P., cheap. Just been overhauled. Plenty of power and speed. Apply 1387 E. 56TH ST.

FOR SALE — AN AUTO TRUCK NEEDING some repairs; will sell at $125 as it stands at 1039 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—$180, GOOD 2-CYLINDER TOURist, equipped with gas lamp, glass front and speedometer, good tires. Phone 21222. 1349 MYRTLE ST.

FOR SALE—TO CLOSE ESTATE, 100-MILE roadster, splendid condition; sacrifice for $800. Phone EAST 1126 or 39275.

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WANTED — AUTO REPAIR WORK IN fully equipped shop at 50c per hour, or by contract. All work fully guaranteed. Address D, box 236, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE, and we will call for your work.

FORCED SALE — 5-PASSENGER, 40-H.P., 1910 car, cost $2300; perfect running condition; must go this week; $750. 712 DELTA BLDG.

AUTO IN PRIME CONDITION, FOR VAcant lot worth $1500; best snap in city. Address N, box 390, TIMES OFFICE.

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.

Automobiles.

RENT AND DESERT CARS, 7-PASSENGERS, ALL FULLY EQUIPPED AND GUARANTEED FOR SIX MONTHS. LOW PRICE AND TERMS TO RESPONSIBLE PARTIES. AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 S. BROADWAY.

BIG SNAPS, 150 CARS TO SELECT FROM, EVERY MAKE AND DESCRIPTION, LOWEST MARKET PRICES AND EVERY ONE GUARANTEED ABSOLUTELY FOR SIX MONTHS. COME AND SEE US. AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—A FEW REAL BARGAINS, but must go before Jan. 1. 35 h.p. Maxwell 5-passenger, just like new, fully equipped, cost $2000; price $850. 30 h.p. Chalmers, fully equipped, $700. 35 h.p. Mitchell, fully equiped, $500. 40 h., California roadster, with double back seat, $550. Every car in first-class condition and must sell this week. W. J. F. BURT MOTOR CAR CO., Tenth and Main. F1271.

FOR SALE—AT $600, ACTUALLY WORTH $1400; 6-cylinder Franklin, 5-passenger, or a light 7-passenger, as it has two extra seats, this car is in absolutely perfect condition; with top, glass front and extras; owner is broke and must have money at once. This is the greatest sacrifice in a car ever heard of. Through the day can be seen at 1124 S. MAIN; evenings at residence.

DO YOU WANT TO SAVE $550. IF SO WE are selling late model 30-horse power 5-passenger, fore-door Badger touring cars at this discount. These cars are remarkable values and are just exactly as represented, in other words, we are offering you a new car at a second-hand price. Here is a good chance to get what you want at a price that is right. AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 S. Broadway.

7-PASSENGER ROYAL TOURIST, 50-H.P. This car is fully equipped besides a lot of extras, was originally owned by wealthy people and has never been strained or wrecked or in the rent business. This would make an exceptionally good car now for rent or passenger service. Will sell this car at a reasonable price for cash and make terms to reliable parties. AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 South Broadway.

BEAUTIFUL 4-PASSENGER ELECTRIC coupe, runs 100 miles on a charge, handsomely appointed, inlaid sash, silk curtains, and trimmings; in first class condition throughout. Only run short distance and good as new, absolutely guaranteed perfect in every detail. Original cost $3000. Will be sold at a big sacrifice for spot cash. AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 So. Broadway.

FOR SALE—I HAVE THE BEST SWISS chalet in Hollywood. This place has six large rooms, new and modern in every way; situated on a fine corner lot, value $4000; will exchange for automobile; must be late model; new, or nearly new; worth from $1000 to $2000 cash; will arrange balance to suit purchaser. I am owner of above property and wish to deal with owners only. HOME PHONE 26169.

WANTED — AT ONCE; TOURING CARS, roadster and runabouts; every description, for spot cash; bring your cars; write or telephone.
W. F. PIPHER & CO.,
Pioneer Automobile Brokers,
1201-1203 South Main,
The White Front, Corner 12th.
F5338. Main 6331.

FOR EXCHANGE—A HOME IN THE WILshire district, 1½ blocks south of Wilshire blvd., and Windsor Square; want a high-grade automobile, nothing but the very best will be considered; call and see house any time; you must see the inside to know how fine it is, and its value. 767 CRENSHAW BLVD. Tel. 74003.

FOR SALE—THE FOLLOWING CARS WE offer for your consideration, and ask if you are in the market to be sure and see them.
1909 Peerless, 7-passenger, $1500.
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1910 Chalmers "30" pony tonneau, $1000.
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FOR SALE—SELLING OUT EVERYTHING for aeroplanes; have two aeroplane engines, one 35-h.p., the other 60 h.p.; 8 propellers, 4 genuine aeroplane aluminum wheels, with tires, complete, sell any and everything at just 1-3 what they cost; everything new (will not loan anything;) want to sell. See at 1124 S. MAIN.

18 CENTS GALLON, BEST GASOLINE, FILtered and measured accurately. VANDERPOOL'S 812 S. Spring.

WANTED — HIGH CLASS AUTOMOBILE for one of swellest lots in Naples; faces the bay; all improvements in; value $3500; mortgage $1200. Will trade equity for good car. Address N, box 381, TIMES OFFICE.

SLACK BUSINESS FORCES ME TO SELL my late model 1911 Interstate, all equipped; in good shape; for $700. Phone me at MAIN 4268.

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E.M.F., BEST BUY IN L. A., NEW TRANSmission and full set fenders, good tires, windshield; only $500.
644 WALL STREET.

1911 FORD TORPEDO, FULLY EQUIPPED, this car is almost new; big bargain.
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DURO CAR, FINE CONDITION, $375.
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CUNNINGHAM, 644 WALL ST.

CADILLAC 1911, FORE-DOOR BODY, JUST newly painted, thoroughly overhauled, new top, fine tires, speedometer, windshield, full equipment, tools.
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FOR SALE — 2-CYLINDER TOURIST, IN good condition, fully equipped; price right. 1340 WEST 37TH ST.

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1 2-ton truck.
1 1-ton truck.
Both in perfect condition. Easy payments. F2942, BROADWAY 2907.

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WANTED — SECOND HAND CAR TO BE used for light delivery; must be cheap; prefer 2-cylinder Buick. Owners only. Write DAVIS, 115 Sotello st.

ELECTRIC, ONE VERY FINE ELECTRIC, late model, can be seen at 2114 W. SEVENTH ST., R. & L. ELECTRIC AUTO CO. 53026, Wilshire 154.

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TO LET—5-PASSENGER RAMBLER, FIRST hour, $2; second, $1.50. PHONE HOME 71652, WEST 2462.

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ROADSTERS OF EVERY MAKE AND DESCRIPTION AT LOWEST MARKET PRICES. AUTOMOBILE CLEARINGHOUSE ASSN., 1039-41 S. BROADWAY.

ABSOLUTELY NEW, NEVER BEEN USED, 6-passenger limousine, cost $2250; beautiful car, elegant finish. Bargain for cash. WILLIAMS, 1315 Magnolia ave.

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All Sorts.

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FOR SALE — GOOD, PERFECTLY SOUND team of mules, weight 2000 lbs., good travelers and workers; both for $125. Call at 112 S. GAGE ST. Take East First st. car.

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FOR SALE — HORSE, WEIGHT 1100, CITY broke, true puller, double and single; good order, fine traveler, $65. 137 EAST 25TH ST.

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...plan was to include the ...Swift, Morris and Cudahy in...the proposed corporation ...capitalized for $923,000,00, ...follows: $141,750,000; preferred ...$...,750,000; common stock,

...promoters had failed to ...this proposition through ...& Co., of New York, the ...changed to provide for a ...of $527,000,000, but the ...of the money market made ...to finance the modified

...testified that E. H. Har...James Stillman and other New ...were to have furnished ...for the big corporation, ...amount they were to receive ...was $10,000,000. ...Gustavus F. Swift was to ...president of the great mer...Morris and Michael Cud...to have been vice-presi...J. Ogden Armour was to ...chairman of the Executive ...committees.

...OWING TO PANIC.

...plan fell through be...the promoters' inability to ...due to the panic of 1903," ...Mr. Veeder.

...then told of the organ...the National Packing Com...18, 1903, but denied that ...connection with the pro...merger.

...merger plan had fallen ...Michael Cudahy dropped out ...partnership with Armour, Swift ...and at his request was re...all obligations imposed by ...," said Mr. Veeder. "The ...Packing Company was then ...carry on the business of ...purchased to be includ...merger."

...name by which the old ...pool, which held secret ...prior to 1903, was known ...office box No. 247," accord...This mysterious gath...the government asserts ...the price of meats and ...competition at weekly meet...Veeder offices, had no ...Mr. Veeder, in his early ...could remember ...secrets of the old associa...packers, which projected ...with $500,000,000 capi...was balked through the ...eastern bankers to loan $90,-...expected to develop.

...BILLION MERGER.

...special counsel for the ...questioned Mr. Veeder ...the agreement entered into ...between the Armour, Swift ...interests to form a $500,000,-...of packing companies. ...said that an elaborate ...of the packers' books was ...expert accountants and the ...appraised by a committee of ...consisting of Thomas Con...E. Wilson and Horace C.

...appraisal of these proper...made?"

...work was completed, ...report ever was made,"

...said that under the mer...each of the contracting ...required to turn over at ...per cent. of the stock of the ...was proposed to consoli-

...produced the contracts ...Armour, Swift and Morris in ...for the purchase of six ...companies prior to the or...of the National Packing ...The concerns acquired by ...at that time were: ...Dressed Beef Company of ...the Fowler Packing Com...Anglo-American Provision ...the G. H. Hammond Pack...the Omaha Packing ...and the St. Louis Dressed ...Provision Company.

...said the combination ...for the purchase of ...and Sulzberger in the ...the purchase was never

...CUDAHY IS ADMITTED.

...1902, Michael Cudahy be...party to the agreement for the ...the Cudahy Packing Com...taken into the consolida...Mr. Veeder.

...brought out that all ...for the purchase of com...concerns contained a clause ...prohibited the persons making ...from engaging in the packing ...for fifteen years after the date

...produced a copy of the ...dated November 18, 1902, ...the combination promoting ...for a loan of $90,000,000 ...Loeb & Company of New ...Jacob H. Schiff.

...agreement was made after ...between the parties, ...through the summer of ...Mr. Veeder.

...SCENTS PANIC.

...Loeb & Company said the ...would have the money under ...conditions, and finally the ...decided on. When it came ...the deal and get the ...Jacob H. Schiff, manager ...Loeb & Company scented ...which came a year later ...whole deal was declared off." ...then described the or...of the National Packing ...March, 18, 1903, with a ...of $15,000,000, which ...contends has been ...the packers' combination to ...the old ice fixing pool ...existed. The contract ...organization of the National ...Company was probed by ...counsel.

...agreement introduced was ...1, 1903, and provided for ...$15,000,000 to Armour, Swift & Morris by the First National Bank of New York. An agreement dated December 19, 1902, was read which provided for a loan of $15,000,000 by Kuhn, Loeb & Company, James Stillman and E. H. Harriman to Armour, Swift & Morris for use in financing the National Packing Company.

"When Michael Cudahy was taken into the deal for the reorganization of the proposed big company, a new agreement was drawn and signed by Armour, Swift, Morris and Cudahy, and each deposited $1,000,000 in a Chicago bank as evidence of good faith," said Veeder. These deposits were later withdrawn when the organization of the company was abandoned.

The government introduced this agreement in evidence after the document had been read to the jury.

SUFFRAGETTES IN JAPAN.

The "Sea Girls" Colony Do Not Expect the Men to Work Except as an Occasional Aid.

[St. Louis Post-Dispatch:] Along the sunny coast of Japan, washed by the Pacific, there is a colony where women are the heads and supporters of families, while men abide by the order of women.

It is in the district of Shima, where the colony of the Sea Girls is located. "Sea Girls" they are called, as the occupation of the women is diving into the rough agitated sea for pearls and other gems of the deep ocean.

And it is different from other suffragette colonies, as the women not only are heads of families, but work and labor, while the male population is practically idle. The colony, the unique and interesting village, is not new. The Sea Girls have been swimming in the Bay of Shima and taking the responsibility of supporting large families for over ten centuries.

The Sea Girls are healthy, strong and bronzed women, and their work is most strenuous. They stay in water from eight to twelve hours a day, and even in the coldest winter they manage to remain in the water two or three hours a day. They are born divers and skillful swimmers. At each dive they remain under water from one to two minutes.

But their task does not end there, and they do all cooking, cleaning, sweeping and marketing for their families, and the male members of the family do nothing except occasional helps to the women.

Women are the power in the village. When a girl baby is born the parents and relatives celebrate and feast, but when their baby is a boy they just grin and mourn the misfortune.

When girls are 4 or 5 years old they are taught to swim and dive. By the time they reach the age of 13 or 14 they are Sea Girls, and remain so until they are about 40 years old. But they do not leave the diving on account of old age or weakness. But generally when they are about 40 years old there are enough grandsons to be taken care of, and this task falls upon the grandmas.

Thus women work, labor and control their families until the end of their lives, and men remain as only assistants to their wives, mothers and daughters through their entire lives.

Among young Sea Girls the best divers succeed in getting husbands of good family and fortune, and skill of young girls as divers is more important than the personal appearance in the matrimonial question.

The marrying age of the Sea Girls is from 16 to 20, a little earlier than that of the ordinary Japanese women. Ever since young girls begin their lives of Sea Girls they save their earnings for bridal wardrobes, and often young girls accumulate a small fortune before they marry. Marriage, however, does not stop the labor of the women, and they keep on diving until they are too old.

And although it is said that Japan is the last country to welcome the suffragette movement, she has this excellent example to show to the suffragettes of the entire world.

TRUSTS ARE INEVITABLE.

Natural Trend of Business Is to Go Into Combinations for Benefit of People.

[Emporia Gazette:] A year or so ago a man came to Emporia and interested all the grocery store keepers and meat market men in a co-operative delivery system. He bought their old delivery wagons, sold them or junked them, put on new wagons, and one firm now delivers all the groceries and meat in town. This week the dry goods and clothing men and a few others went into another co-operative delivery arrangement. They trust one another's good faith and integrity, and they trust the man who manages the plan to be fair to all. It is merely an evidence of the development of the Christian virtue of common decency—this mutual trust and good will among business rivals. They make it pay. They save money; the manager of the concern makes a good salary, and harmony is promoted, economic waste is reduced and the common decency inherent in these men is capitalized.

Now fundamentally, that is what the Standard Oil should be; it is the basis of every trust ever organized. The evils of the trusts—cut-throat competition, hoggish profits, unfair stock jobbing—those may be remedied without destroying the trust. The trust is an economic tendency of the times. It is part of the human development. It is possible only where men actually do "trust" one another. It may not be checked by laws. This tendency is bigger than the Supreme Court. It is in the heart of humanity, growing kindlier and more trustworthy every year. It is working in Emporia and it is working in Wall street. The thing to do is to regulate it strictly so that the evils of the trust—the unfairness of mean men, the arrogance that comes with great power—may be prevented. But the benefits of the trust in saving money to producers and consumers are too obvious to be lightly thrown aside. Putting men in jail, breaking up combinations, and indicting trust magnates, will only muddy the water. It is the evils of trusts, not the trusts themselves, that must be broken.

This Emporia instance is cited merely to show Emporia people how inevitable are the big combinations in restraint of trade that we are trying to break up. The thing to do is not to break them up—but make them serve us as this Emporia delivery system is serving us. In the end it will mean lower prices, better service and steadier employment for labor.

Possibly the Truth.

[Tit-Bits:] A certain lady called up her grocer by telephone the other morning, and, after she had sufficiently scolded the man who responded, said:

"And, what's more, the next order you get from me will be the last I'll ever give you."

"It probably will, madam," said the voice at the other end of the wire; "you are talking to an undertaker."

Deadlier.

KIPLING'S RIGHT IN OKLAHOMA.

THE FEMALE MORE PUGNACIOUS THAN THE MALE.

From the Number of Court and Unreported Cases of Women Using the Horse Whip on Men the Adams of the Eden Are Almost Convinced of Rudyard's Veracity.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) Dec. 24.—Kipling's poetic declaration that "the female of the species is more deadly than the male," seems to have been confirmed in Oklahoma, for four cases of women charged with whipping men have been brought into court.

D. W. Warner of Oklahoma City was lashed with a horse whip in the hands of Mrs. Mabel Swenson as long as she was physically able to wield it. She alleged Warner had insulted her by offering her whisky. Warner denies this.

"I did it to save further trouble," said Mrs. Swenson. "I knew if my husband heard about it there would have been a serious conflict and besides I wanted to punish him myself. It never occurred to me to be afraid. I was too mad."

Another Oklahoma City woman walked into a "bootlegging joint" and announced that until she was tired of it she would operate it. The proprietor remonstrated but the woman remained firm. When he attempted to take her out she keeled him with a swing of her right arm. He arose to defend himself. The woman then gave him a severe beating. She was arrested.

When Mrs. T. W. Armenstrout of St. Louis found her husband parading a street in Shawnee with another woman she set upon him with a whip and administered a threshing. Her husband had been arrested on the charge of assault and battery but the case was dismissed.

Because Wiley George permitted his chickens to trespass in her yard Mrs. Jennie Amstutz of Chickasha watched for an opportunity. The next time George passed that way she pounced upon him with a whip and gave him a beating. George had Mrs. Amstutz arrested.

A few years ago one of the most spectacular scenes involving an irate woman took place on a public street in Chickasha when a woman who operated a hotel charged one of her boarders with refusing to pay his bill, and she got her reward with the whip. Within a few years Tulsa, Muskogee, Claremore, Sapulpa, Guthrie and a few other cities have been exercised over the administration of punishment by the horsewhip route with the "female of the species" as the aggressor.

A YANKEE MATADOR.

An American Bullfighter Gives Up His Bloody Sport for His Old Railroad Job.

[New York Times:] Probably the most famous bullfighter in all Mexico until the other day was an American, by name Harper B. Lee. No matador of Spanish or mingled Spanish and Indian blood has excelled him in placing the bandelliras or killing the bull with the first sword thrust. Only a few, like Antonio Fuentes and Montes, have equaled him. Indeed, Lee has the reputation of being the only bullfighter who has placed the short banderillas in the neck of the bull while standing in the middle of the ring. A bullfighter's repute is not easily won. He must court danger, and must always treat his bull fairly, acording to the ideas of fairness to a bull which prevail in bullfighting countries. Of course, the poor bull never has a chance for his life. He cannot escape, and though he may kill a dozen horses, a picador or two, and even the matador (as he does sometimes,) there is but one way for him to leave the ring after he has entered it—dragged out by a team of mules.

What induced our fellow citizen Lee to take up the matador's job is not known. He appeared first in the great amphitheater of Mexico City in May, 1909, covering the ring with blood and himself with glory. He had then had a year or so of experience, and was as alert in action, as sure footed, as daring as any matador that ever lived. Once or twice the bull caught him, and he was badly gored, but he has escaped a hero's death only to realize that a man of American birth has no chance of lasting success in the Mexican bullrings. He has been the victim of many intrigues, and at last has decided to give it up and go back to his original trade of railroading.

On the whole, his fellow countrymen will be glad of his decision. Bullfighting is pretty bad business for a man of Northern blood to engage in. It is cruel and dirty work, and the exhibition appeals only to the worst human passions. Lee has cut off his coleta (the braided knot of hair which is a matador's badge of distinction) and will wear overalls instead of tight breeches and a short jacket while he is at work hereafter, and we cannot help thinking that his conscience has impelled him to give up the inspiration of the ear-splitting diana more than any fear of his jealous rivals. He has proved that an American can face an infuriated bull as bravely as a Mexican or a Spaniard, and now he does well to go back to clean and useful work.

ATLANTIS WAS A REALITY.

French Scientist Tells of His Explorations in the Cape Verde and Canary Islands.

[Christian Science Monitor:] At a meeting of the members of the Academie des Sciences just held at the Institute, Paris, an interesting communication was made by M. Edmond Perrier on the subject of the existence of Atlantis, the mysterious lost continent which, according to legend joined together at one time the continents of Africa and America.

M. Perrier read a series of notes made by the naturalist, M. Germain, giving the result of his investigation of the living and fossilized flora and fauna of Cape Verde and the Canary Islands, as well as of those islands still visible, which form, he states, the lost remnants of the vanished continent.

The fossils in Mauretania and in America are in all cases absolutely identical and M. Germain, who has studied these questions with the most minute patience, says that at San Thomas the corals agree in every detail with the madrepores in Florida.

Everything, he said, in fact, tends to prove that the two continents were once united and that Atlantis disappeared at the end of the Tertiary period. The first collapse, he believes, took place between the coast of Venezuela and the still existing archipelago, while Mauretania and the Cape Verde islands must have become detached a little later.

PLATINUM REPLACES GOLD.

The Most Precious Metal Supplants Yellow Mountings for Jewel Settings in High Class Work.

[Jewelers' Weekly:] Gold as a mounting for precious stones in high-class jewelry has almost disappeared. In the jewelers' shops one can look over hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of ornaments without seeing anything but a platinum mounting.

This has resulted in a tremendously increased demand for that metal, which naturally would have put the price up, especially as the supply is limited. But to make matters worse from the point of view of the buyer, the automobile makers cornered the platinum market because they need it and need it badly in their business.

Platinum is an essential metal in the making of the magneto, and the demand from auto makers coming simultaneously with the rage for platinum mountings in jewelry is sending the price up by almost daily increases. It now costs dealers twice as much as gold. Whereas the latter metal can be bought around 75 cents a pennyweight, platinum costs $1.25 to $1.50. But platinum-mounted jewelry is even more expensive relatively because it is so much more difficult to work.

Gold, of course, being quite soft, is always alloyed with some other metal before being used as a mounting for precious stones. Platinum seems as hard as steel in comparison. It is not alloyed, but is used pure, which helps to account for the difference in price. In the case of lorgnettes, for instance, those which are not set with stones show how gold has yielded first place and by a large margin, too. In them the entire value is in the metal mountings, and the platinum ones cost at least three times as much as the gold ones.

But while the turn of fashion doubtless has much to do with the vogue of the former, there is more than mere caprice to recommend it. Platinum is more durable because of its hardness. It never tarnishes; if you have an alleged platinum mounting that tarnishes you may be sure you have been cheated and that it is silver, a piece of deceit that is often practiced by foreign jewelers in selling to tourists. And it is the ideal setting for stones, especially for diamonds, as the color harmonizes better than the yellow of gold does and also has the happy faculty of making a gem set in it look larger than it really is. And yet a jeweler said the other day:

"Everything is platinum now, and it seems to have a great future ahead of it. But we do not lose sight of the fact that gold has been used for jewelry and ornament ever since it was discovered. It probably will continue to be used that way indefinitely. Just at present any pretentious piece of jewelry, especially if diamonds predominate among the stones, is made with a platinum mounting. Nothing else is considered."

AFRICAN HONEY BIRDS.

Lead Men to Hollow Trees Stored With Honey, But Expect to Be Treated Themselves.

[Washington Star:] From Cape Agulhas, the most southerly point of South Africa, to the Zambesi River and from the east to west of that portion of Southern Africa is to be found a small gray-colored bird known to the Dutch hunters as hoenig vogel or honey bird.

A hunter or traveler at times will be astonished by the antics of this intelligent little bird, which alights on the twig of a tree, making a big noise in chirpings, incessant and shrill. As one moves toward the noisy little creature it makes a slow flight to a near-by tree and continues its chirping; follow it again and the same performance is gone through.

On one occasion at the Umzinguani River, Mashonaland, South Africa, I noticed a honey bird calling us, writes a correspondent of the Forest and Stream, and when I told about the little fellow to some Australians who were among our convoy of wagons and carts I was heartily laughed at. Being quite sure of my bird I told my doubters to bring their rifles in case of game and had one of our natives bring an ax and a bucket.

We followed the little fellow. It went through its circle movements, this time indicating the lower portion of a huge old tree, then settled on a branch about thirty yards away and silently waited. We at once saw the entrance to this nest, although at first the bees kept quiet, and taking stock of the tree decided we could handle the proposition, so at once started a fire and tore out pieces of our coat linings to make smudges and smoke the bees out.

When we thought sufficient smoking had been done one of the boys took the ax and began to enlarge the entrance. Our little guide watched these operations in expectant silence from its near-by perch.

After we had filled our bucket with good, rich honey we took two or three pieces of comb which contained young white bees and placed them on a large limb of a tree some fifty yards away. Looking round as we started for the wagons we saw the honey bird with another, evidently its better half, already feasting on the young bees, their share of the spoils, which one at any rate had worked for.

Oyster Drowns a Duck.

[Memphis Appeal:] Not long ago there occurred a lively contest in Maryland waters between a duck and an oyster. The oyster was victorious, but it was a fatal victory, for when the bivalve had killed the duck there appeared a man who killed the oyster and ate them both.

The combat between the duck and the oyster was of the rough and tumble kind. The duck was large and full grown. It was of the diving species frequently seen in those waters.

Now when the oyster feeds it opens its shell so wide that the full oyster itself is plainly visible. The sight of such a morsel was too great a temptation for the duck. He made a headlong plunge, inserting his bill between the oyster's open shell.

Like a flash the shell closed on the duck's beak. Then came a struggle for life. The oyster, which was quite a large one, was dragged from its bed, with three smaller bivalves clinging to it, the cluster being heavy enough to keep the duck's head under water.

In this way the bird drowned. Its buoyancy was sufficient to float it with the oysters, and thus it drifted near the dock, where it was captured. When taken from the water the oyster was clinging to the bird's beak with such force that considerable difficulty was had in breaking its hold.

The Optimist.

[Pittsburgh Gazette:] All things work together for good.

Christmas means that little boys will get their ears mussed up with pie, and this means a boom in the soap market.

Any real healthy little boy is pretty sure to tip the gravy over. This means business for the laundry. Sometimes it means spankings and spankings wear out pants, thereby encouraging the clothing merchant.

Grandma is likely to break a tooth on a bone, thereby stimulating the dental trade.

And an assortment of stomachaches means a donation to the doctor.

Some generous parent may give his daughter away and this is apt to make business for the lawyer.

So in one way or another Christmas will help all of us out.

WHAT IS REAL LUCK?

Industry, Honesty and Decency Have Much to Do With Shaping One's Good Fortune

[Osborne Farmer:] The Santa Fe Railway had an auditor to appoint the other day to succeed a man who had just died and W. W. Strickland was given the place. To the average reader this is merely a news item, but it is quite a story to us, for we were raised in the same town and attended the same school and were in the same classes with Will Strickland. Has Strickland risen to his present position by mere "luck?" We can remember when he was a barefoot and ragged boy on the streets of Peabody, for we were barefoot and ragged with him. We can recall the time when a silent procession wended its way northeast and he was left alone in the world—father and mother both gone. He listened to the howl of the wolf out of the road—the same wolf that kept us awake. He went to work in the Santa Fe depot at the very lowest position. He was steady, industrious and used his brains. He was promoted and he made good on every round of the ladder he climbed. He had no boosters and didn't carry a sackful of horseshoes about with him to bring luck. His booster was his industry and honesty, and his good luck signet his clean hands and clear head. But Old Bill Shiftless stands back there in the old rut and say: "He was lucky, that's all." Nothing to it. The lucky boy, the ones who had golden spoons in their mouths in those old days, have long since fallen by the wayside. Luck is the idle dream of the shiftless and lazy—a Utopian shore far in the distance, to reach which requires the rays from Alladdin's lamp to light the way. Real luck is merely industry, honesty and decency. You can see it shining like arc lights around you every day.

ELEVATORS; HEART DISEASE.

Rapid Descent Said to Cause Many Troubles—Walking Down Stairs Is Healthy.

[Cleveland Plain Dealer:] A German physician who has been visiting this country is said to have declared that riding in our swift elevators is the cause of the increase of heart trouble in this country. He holds the involuntary catching of the breath when the elevator starts or stops as responsible.

"Far from causing injury to the heart," says the Independent, "elevators have spared that important organ much unnecessary strain. There is probably nothing that is harder on the heart than going up many flights of stairs. The pumping of blood through tightly contracted muscles during the process of lifting the body up to a height is one of the hardest tasks that the heart can have.

"Men who are suffering from heart disease have been kept at work and enabled to do their work longer because of the presence of the elevator than by any advance there is in therapeutics. While the elevator is thus so important an adjuvant for the heart, so far as going up stairs is concerned, it is probable that most people would be benefited by walking down stairs occasionally.

"A distinguished German authority in the treatment of obesity has recommended walking down stairs rather rapidly as probably the best possible means of taking off surplus adipose tissue, and particularly that which collects in the abdominal region and is hard to remove by ordinary forms of exercise such as walking and the like. The gentle jolting motion tends to lead to the reabsorption of the fatty material that is accumulated. Some American physicians have tried the suggestion on a number of patients with reported success.

"Besides this, there is probably no better exercise for the ankle joints than that of coming down stairs. One of the most frequent sources of complaint of extreme fatigue and of achy feelings that are often supposed to be rheumatic, is the yielding of the arch of the foot with a tendency to the development of flatfootedness. This has grown very common in recent years, mainly because of the small amount of brisk exercise of the feet, that men take.

"We do much standing, often standing even on long rides, but little rapid walking. The consequence is that the muscles which normally hold the joints of the ankle firmly together, become flabby and allow the gradual disappearance of the arch and the relaxation of the ligaments of the ankle-joints. Many people wear flatfoot braces for this, and in advance cases a crutch is probably necessary.

"In most cases and particularly at the beginning of yielding of the arch, it would be much better if exercise were practiced to restore the strength and firmness and the contour of the arch rather than support it by artificial means. The elevator has taken away the exercise for the feet, that used to be obtained in going up and coming down the stairs. So far as it is of use in facilitating ascent in the high buildings it is an advantage. It would be probably much better, however, if it were not used quite so much for coming down."

Sorow of the Microbes.

[New York Tribune:] "The germ theory, thanks to the study of hygiene in the schools, is familiar even to our children," said Dr. Charles T. Atkens, president of Susquehanna University, in an address at Selinsgrove.

"Two little Selinsgrove urchins played in their mother's kitchen the other day while the cook boiled some water. Hearing the sound of the boiling, they drew near the gas range.

"What is in that pot?" asked the first urchin.

"'Water,' said the second. 'Just water.'

"'What is the sound I hear, then, brother?'

"'Sister, it is the microbes crying.'"

Come Long Distance to Market.

[Indianapolis News:] Wheat comes into the mills and to the rivers and railways of Manchuria from almost incredible distances. In the winter, when the rough, ungraded roads are frozen hard and smooth, the natives haul wheat for 200 miles, in some cases, by means of a heavy, two-wheeled cart drawn by four to eight mules. Long trains of these carts, traveling together for protection and companionship at night, can be seen on the main highways all winter, and are the most picturesque feature of Manchurian life.

Difference in Socialism.

[Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph:]—The Rev. Archibald D. Pinkerton, the well-known Christian Socialist of Duluth, said in a recent address:

"I asked a crusty old millionaire the other day to contribute to our book fund. He frowned and said:

"'So you're a Socialist, eh?'

"'Yes, sir,' said I.

"'Well, tell me what a Socialist is,' said he.

"'But you must tell me first,' said I, 'what sort of Socialist you mean—a political Socialist or a Christian Socialist. For there is a vast difference. The political Socialist says, "What's yours is mine." But the Christian Socialist says, "What's mine is yours."'"

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Cities and Towns of Los Angeles County.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

Pasadena.

NATION CRAZY YEARS AGONE.

So Says Spokane Capitalist of Roosevelt's Reign.

Criticises Sherman Act With Plenty of Seasoning.

Elderly Citizen Dies After Life of Usefulness.

[Office of The Times, 55 S. Fair Oaks avenue.]

PASADENA, Dec. 28.—That the nation "went crazy" during the administration of former President Roosevelt and that there will be no solution of the Sherman law problem until it recovers its sanity, is the opinion of Jay P. Graves, president of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Company, of British Columbia, who recently resigned the presidency of the Spokane and Inland Empire Street Railway Company.

Graves is a resident of Spokane and with Mrs. Graves, has just arrived in Pasadena to pass his seventh winter in Southern California. They came in a private car and are now occupying a bungalow at the Hotel Maryland.

"While I see some features to the Sherman act that are satisfactory and good," he said last night, "there are many that are bad, and which, in my opinion, will be more hurtful to the country than we can imagine. I do not believe in the curtailing of individual energy in this country. I believe that it takes away ambition and that without modification of the statute we cannot expect to see the same progress in the future has has been recorded in the fifty years just past. People have not yet gotten sane and I look to see the tide turn. I have great confidence in the American public. I believe that they will eventually do the right thing and that they will soon be on the right trend.

TO COME SLOWLY.

"I do not expect to see any modifications immediately. I don't look for it. The nation went insane during the Roosevelt administration and has not yet got back to the even tenor of its way. Under the present administration it has not been so wild or crazy, and, while I do not altogether agree with President Taft's views on the Sherman law, I believe that he is the logical candidate for the Republican party and that there is no doubt of his nomination. I believe that Gov. Harmon of Ohio, will be the Democratic candidate."

Graves is at the head of one of the largest enterprises in the Northwest, and stated yesterday that it is now reaching out into new fields on the west coast of Alaska, north of South Prince Rupert, at the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad. He is enthusiastic over the additional prosperity which he says the completion of the Panama Canal will bring to the Pacific Coast. He declares that the advantages in Southern California will not be sudden, but that they are already being largely realised through anticipation.

'And that is the best kind of prosperity," said he. "That is the kind that counts. I believe that the advantages to be derived on the Northern Pacific Coast will be fully as great. The two sections will not be competitive. They are in entirely different fields. I look to see great cities spring up in Alaska."

He remarked, incidentally, that he had never found a pleasanter place to spend the winter than in Pasadena, and said that he believes it will not be long until the territory between this city and Los Angeles will be entirely built up.

PIONEER GOES BEYOND.

William B. Clapp, one of the oldest and best known residents of Pasadena, died late Tuesday night at his home, Fair Oaks avenue and Holly street. He was 50 years of age, thirty-eight of which had been passed in this city. He held the office of district engineer of the United States Geological Survey and for six years was City Engineer of Pasadena, having had much to do with some of the chief improvements of the city.

Illness caused him to retire from active work last April, and since that time he has been confined most of the time either to his home or a hospital. He leaves a widow, one brother and a sister. The last is Mrs. Frank J. Culver of San Jacinto.

The funeral services will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be made in Mountain View Cemetery. The Masons will have charge of the services at the grave.

NEWS CHANGES HANDS.

At a meeting of the directors of the Pasadena Daily News Company held yesterday afternoon at the News building the controlling interest in the paper was secured by Samuel T. Clover of Los Angeles. Robert R. Armstrong, publisher of the paper, resigned, and Clover will become president and general manager of the company and editor of the paper. He will take charge January 1, next.

Clover is editor of the Graphic of Los Angeles, which chair, he states, he will continue to occupy. He is a well-known Southern California newspaper man, and edited the original News, which, for a time, was one of the dailies in the Los Angeles field.

It was announced yesterday that Armstrong will leave the city for another climate, owing to ill health of Mrs. Armstrong. He himself was ill last night at the Hotel Maryland, where he resides, and could not be interviewed.

CITY BRIEFS.

Over one thousand invitations have been extended for the function that will mark the opening of the new Altadena Country Club today. The club grounds will be subject to inspection between 10 o'clock this morning and 6 o'clock tonight. The club has a membership of 100, and the golf links are counted the best on the Pacific Coast.

Albert G. Honey, a Pasadena driver for the Wells-Fargo Express Company, was arrested yesterday by Detective Schultz, and locked up in the City Jail on a charge of petty larceny. The allegation is that he extracted articles from express packages that passed through his hands.

Miss Florence Hall of No. 115 North Holliston avenue, was seriously burned about the body yesterday, when her dress caught fire from a stove at her home. She was taken to the Pasadena Hospital, where it was reported last night that her condition was not dangerous

All members of Pasadena Lodge No. 272, F. & A. M., are requested to assemble at Masonic Temple, at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon, December 29, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Wm. B. Clapp

El Morera. Family boarding-house No. 158 North Euclid avenue.

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Wadsworth sells paints.

HIGH SCHOOL RECEPTION.

Pomona Young People Have Good Time—Sunday-school Gives Two Christmas Playlets.

POMONA, Dec. 27.—The members of last year's High School graduating class of the local High School held an enjoyable reception at the Ebell Clubhouse this evening, the committee in charge of the affair being Alvin Fiske and Misses Olive Robbins, Gertrude Leadingham and Margaret Merriam.

Nearly all of the class members were present, those who have been away to college being at present here passing the holidays. The evening's entertainment consisted of music, games and dancing and refreshments were served.

The annual Christmas exercises of the Sunday-school of the First Unitarian Church were held at the church last evening, two playlets being presented, "Red Pepper" and "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland," under the direction og Miss Anne Scott and Rev. Paul McReynolds.

Miss Ethel McComas, daughter of J. E. McComas of this city, who is soon to wed Sidney J. Turney of Los Angeles, was the recipient from her father of the largest Christmas gift made to an individual here, the present being $500 in gold and $20,000 worth of income property here.

J. O. Enell, Jr., has been appointed collector for the local branch of the Southern California Edison Company, and E. Reichert has been placed in charge of the new warehouse. J. Gilmore, who has been succeeded as cashier in the local office by Homer Duffy, will go to Pasadena.

Fifth avenue from Garey to White avenues, a distance of seven blocks, is now plowed preparatory to bringing the thoroughfare to grade before the surface paving is commenced. The street when paved will equal any paved thoroughfare in the city.

The members of Pomona's charitable organization, the Fruit and Flower Mission, under the direction of Miss Anne Cason, have taken care of 209 needy cases here this holiday season by supplying groceries, fuel, clothing and bedding, fruit and vegetables. The mission has been assisted by several local fraternal organizations.

Glendale.

FANCY LIGHTS FOR STREETS.

ORNAMENTAL DESIGNS PLANNED BY CITY OFFICIALS.

Citizens to Help Pay for Improvements on Principle Thoroughfare. Association to Discuss Freeholders' Charter Tomorrow at Meeting in Pythias Hall.

GLENDALE, Dec. 27.—With the exception of a few minor details everything was arranged last night at the meeting of the City Trustees for the establishment of the ornamental electric lighting system on which Harry Lynch, manager of the lighting plant, and the Trustees have been working for six months.

City Clerk G. B. Woodberry said this morning that just as soon as the remaining trifling demands of the law had been complied with, the work will be started, and rushed to completion. This new system includes the construction of five-light iron standards constructed every 100 feet along each side of Fourth street from Central avenue to Everett street, on Brand boulevard from Third street to Sixth street, and along Glendale avenue from Third street to Fifth street.

The lights and standards and the construction of same will be paid for by the property owners along the streets on which the lights are placed. These property owners will be given three months in which to complete the payments. After the improvement is completed the maintenance of the lights will cost the city of Glendale about $100 a month.

In connection with this improvement the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company is now employed in putting all of its lines along the streets to be imuproved, under ground so as to do away with the large number of poles now standing along the streets. A gang of twenty-five men is now employed in this work, which will be completed in about a week.

The regular meeting of the Glendale Valley Improvement Association will be held in Knights of Pythias Hall on Brand boulevard tomorrow evening. The following programme will be rendered: Piano solo, Miss May Beth Pigg; song, Miss Riena Graf; reading, Miss Litta Hibben; song, Mrs. L. W. Chobe; discussion of the "Freeholders' Charter," Frank L. Muhleman; piano solo, Miss Helen Morgan; reading, Elmer E[illegible].

"Yate"—A Vegetable Cast Iron.

[The Carriage Trades.] "From a recent test made by automobile manufacturing concerns looking for suitable timber to be used in automobile construction, it has been found that Australia furnishes many valuable hardwoods, and among the prominent woods which come from that country is 'Yate,' and from the test referred to it has been found that 'Yate' is the strongest timber yet known to civilization and it is claimed that this timber may turn out to be an important factor in automobile construction. Its average tensile strength is 24,000 pounds to the square inch, equalling that of good cast iron. Many specimens are much stronger and one was tested up to 17½ tons to the square inch, which is equal to the tensile strength of wrought iron. The sawn timber of 'Yate' is probably the strongest in the world. The tree grows to a maximum height of 100 feet, and has sometimes a diameter of two and one-half or even three feet."

Land values in the Southwest, their advance and present prospects. How the Panama Canal will influence them. Read the Midwinter Number of The Times.

Long Beach.

MAD DOG BITES RANCH HANDS.

Mistaken Kindness Throws Place Into Terror.

Vessel's Bottom Scraped Off On a Reef.

Revolver Fished Up By Angler on Pier.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 27.—Mistaken kindness for a forlorn and excited puppy, today, may cost John Lopez, and other employees of the King ranch, northeast of town, their lives, for it developed later that the dog which bit them was afflicted with rabies and for a time the ranch was thrown into a state of excitement bordering on terror.

The pup ran along the boulevard and up the ranch lane at a high rate of speed and began circling around the men at work. Lopez concluded the animal was hungry, but when it refused to eat he chased the dog and catching it sought to force it to eat. In return the dog suddenly bit his finger to the bone and then, frothing at the mouth, began snapping at its captor. It then chased the other men of the party. Finally one man succeeded in killing it with a club.

The fact that most of the men wore gloves saved them from injury, but several bear ugly nips and scratches. First aid treatment was given Lopez and his finger wound was burned out with a hot iron pending the arrival of a physician who dressed it and also attended the injuries of the other victims, none of them serious. The dog's head was brought into the city for examination by Health Officer Newman.

When the four-masted schooner Caroline was raised onto the Craig dry dock, today, the discovery was made that in some unknown manner about six feet of the keel of the vessel had been ripped out, possibly by the ship at some time scraping on a sand bar. The ship plant sent for a barge of timbers and will make the necessary repairs while the ship is resting on the dock.

After two years of effort the city is at last started on the establishment of a comfort station for the visiting public, which will be built below the bluff east of the pier. A contract was let today for the convenience which will be modern in every way and will cost $15,250. This is $250 in excess of the amount appropriated, but the Board of Public Works thinks this excess can be saved from some other fund. Work will begin at once to have the station ready for the coming summer season.

NOTES OF NEWS.

Through the unusual transparency of the water a fisherman today made an unusual catch. He noticed something shiny on the bottom of the ocean and angling for it with a pole and line finally drew to the surface a revolver which had either dropped from the pocket of somebody or been thrown away.

At a special meeting of the school board this morning the resignation of Miss Georgia Carrison was accepted to allow her to join her parents, who have moved to San Francisco. There are several vacancies existing in the public school forces and the board decided to leave the matter of getting them filled in the hands of Supt. Graham and the Teachers' Committee.

In a runaway accident this morning M. Imato, a Japanese grocer, was painfully injured by being thrown out of the wagon on the cement pavement and dragged for several feet, causing severe cuts and bad bruises. He was unconscious when picked up but revived under the care of a physician.

Long Beach will be signally honored at the Pasadena Tournament of Roses, the Long Beach municipal band being selected to lead the parade on that day, according to advices received here today.

Because of a difference of opinion between himself and the directors, Secretary Hereford Berry of the Pet Stock and Poultry Association has resigned and O. G. Mecham was selected in his stead. Lee Powell has been elected treasurer of the association and Dr. C. E. Bowne, a director. The heavyweight poultry show is to be held January 22-24.

For some unexplained reason the preliminary hearing of W. L. Stone, charged with defrauding the First National Bank by means of a bogus draft, has been postponed until January 4. It is said negotiations are pending with relatives to reimburse the bank for the loss in the hope of mitigating Stone's punishment.

Mrs. M. A. Williams died this morning at her home on Ohio street. She was 89 years of age and a native of Pennsylvania. She had lived twenty years in California.

Mrs. Mattie Dahlin died last night at the home of her son on Fifth street. She was 70 years of age, and a native of Denmark.

Redondo Beach.

PUBLIC SPEAKING UNDER WRAPS.

CITY COUNCIL SHUTS OUT STREET SHOUTERS.

Committee to Select Place Where Spouters May Uncan the Hot Stuff. Theater Lease Sold to New Management Which Contemplates Improvements.

REDONDO BEACH, Dec. 27.—The ordinance prohibiting public speaking on the streets of this city was passed by the City Council last night. It was given its final reading at the meeting two weeks ago, but was laid on the table. It was amended, as suggested by C. S. Cavanagh at a former meeting, that the president and two members assign a place where speaking may be conducted.

The Woman's Club asked that facilities of the Public Library be extended. It now occupies one room in the City Hall. Owing to the crowded conditions, space in the Marshal's office will be added.

The Christmas vacation has been extended for one week, school to open Monday, January 8, because the High School auditorium is being repaired.

F. W. Fancher has taken a lease on the Redondo Theater for one year, beginning January 1. This theater has been under several different managements in the last year. Fancher is also proprietor of the Pavilion Theater. He will begin immediately to remodel the newly-leased building. A scene loft and other improvements will be put in. The name has been changed to the Art Theater, and A. Philips will manage it.

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Boston Girls Are Coy.

[Washington Star:] Not even for such allurements as a Christmas present of cash and promise of a pension will the young women employed by the Boston telephone company reveal their ages. Recently the directors of the company voted to give the girl switchbord operators a cash present at Christmas, the amount varying according to age. It was announced that this Christmas gift would eventually develop into a pension.

One of the young men secretaries was given the task of tabulating the girls by ages. He began his work among the 150 young women employed in the main office. After a few hours of fruitless questioning he reported to the directors that the task was a hopeless one, as not one of the operators would answer his questions as to the date of her birth. The scheme has therefore been abandoned for the present.

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San Diego.

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ingley Defending As Chief Beneficiary.

Stranger Lends Money and Advice.

[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DIEGO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive ...] A jury was selected today ... case of the contested will ... Harriet Thurston in the Su... Court. Contrary to expectations ... progress in the examination of ... was made.

... twelve jurors qualified at 2:30 ... this afternoon. The panel is ... of R. H. Creswell, a retired ...man; Karl Kanzenberger, a ... F. K. Lombardy, retired; H. ..., a retired farmer; R. Bell, ... Joseph Petit, a retired farm... Dietrich; a rancher; James ..., retired business man; ... rancher; Henry Fletcher, ... Albert Wuest, retired saloon ... John Walker, rancher.

...ination of the attorneys, im... after the selection of the ... was went over to January 2. ... is being prosecuted by ... L. Patterson, son of the late ...derson. The principal de... Mrs. Katherine Tingley head ... Theosophical Society of Pt. ... is the principal benefi...

...complaint protesting against ...sion of the will it is charged ...ence that when his mother ...instrument she was of un... and that undue influence ... It is asserted that Mrs. ... did not sign the will in the ... of George Butler and Mabel ... whose names appear in the ... as witnesses to its execu...

...orted will bears date of ... 1910, but the contestant main... his mother left a later will ...gust 12, of the same year. ... administrator has been ... have the second will ad... probate.

...KES THE PERSONS.

...ging the allegation that un... ...ence was exercised on Mrs. ... when she made the will that ...ded, Patterson asserts that ... Dr. Lorin P. Wood, ... Wood Dunn, J. F. Knoche, ... Davidson and Clark Thurs... responsible. The latter, an... with flowing white whisk... ...ried Mrs. Thurston at the ... homestead, a year before ...

...ing that the estate of his ... was greatly reduced in value ... her residence at the home... Patterson recites that when she ... to live in 1907 the estate ...ded at $400,700. The return of ...ator places the valuation at ... a difference of $158,000.

...ion charged by the contestant ...nspiracy was entered into in ... get Mrs. Thurston to be... ...member of the Theosophical ... those and other charges of a ...ilar nature made by Patterson ...was denied by Mrs. Tingley. ...ures in the will supposed to ...ust left by Mrs. Thurston, and ...ed by those at Pt. Loma to be ...g will she made, is the provi... ...says that if any of her rela... ...ntest the instrument they shall ...ir share.

...providing various sums to rel... ...ld an income of $75 a month ...widower, also making provi... ...persons at the homestead ...ions of the estate was left to ...ingley.

...contestant the jurors were ...ed by Judge McKinley, At... ...ney acting for the defend... ...particular stress was laid by ... questions asked jurors con... ...wife and their religious be... ...those that pertained to opin... ...of the case or prejudice against ...ers of the Theosophical Society ...ternal Brotherhood.

...scrutable mystery was attached ...presence in court of a man ...H. L. Turner. He did not wear ...ge of members of the Theoso... ...society but took much interest ...proceedings, frequently convers... ...Mrs. Tingley and her at... ...He also carefully scrutinized ...witnesses.

EXPENSES GROW.

...EW WAYS AND MEANS.

...DIEGO, Dec. 27.—Because of ...enomenally rapid growth of ... the operating departments ... municipal administration find ...ult to keep pace with the de... ...for public improvements. How ... the requirements of next ... anticipated increase in every ...partment is a crisis that members ... Council state they are facing. ...man P. E. Woods, head of ...finance department, sees no way ...ovide for the extra expenditures ...ed by a bond issue. He doubts ...the people will vote bonds. ...mate J. L. Sehon believes in ...economical practice of scaling ...the estimates until they come ...within the bounds of the amount to be raised from the tax levy.

Superintendent H. R. Fay will demand an appropriation of $300,000 for the water department. Superintendent D. K. Adams will ask for $152,244 for the street department. Superintendent A. E. Dodson will ask for a large increase in the sum to be set aside for the sewer department. Dodson expects next year to construct many miles of trunk line sewers, the cost of which he believes must be derived from a bond issue.

The heads of these three departments are preparing estimates for the annual budget to be fixed next spring, following completion of the tax rolls. Members of the Council are not anxious to increase the tax rate. The street department alone asks for an increase of $15,000 for extension of the street lighting system. The same department also expects an increase of funds to pay for an automobile street cleaner and for new bridges and culverts.

The water department intends to remove worn out two and four-inch mains and replace them with pipes of larger sizes. In anticipation that the street department will pave streets from Fifteenth to Twenty-fifth from the bay to the site of the exposition, Superintendent Fay of the water department expects additional cost in replacing the water mains on all those streets with pipes of newer and larger material.

To keep pace with the rapid increase in the growth of the outskirts of the city, especially the Mission Hills and Brooklyn Heights section, new sewers will have to be built.

VETERAN'S BODY FOUND.

Reclining on the beach at the foot of Ash street the body of Eugene Hopkins, aged 66, a Civil War veteran, was found early this morning. According to Mrs. Emma Hopkins, wife of the deceased, he had been absent from home for about ten days and she declared this morning she had known nothing of his whereabouts. A post-mortem by Dr. A Morgan showed that death was caused by heart trouble.

Hopkins formerly conducted a grocery at No. 2331 D street. Recently he sold that establishment and with his wife bought a rooming-house at No. 2040 Albatross street. Papers found on the deceased show that he served with distinction in the Union army. When the body was found the pockets of his clothing were without money. An inquest was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Besides a wife here the deceased is survived by a daughter in Spokane, Wash. Funeral arrangements will not be made until word from the daughter is received.

TO SELL SCHOOL BONDS.

Santa Ana Board of Education Has Plans To Spit Up the High School Issue into Blocks.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—The Board of Education today announced that high school bonds, recently voted, in it will offer the $200,000 polytechnic blocks of $50,000. The first block will be sold immediately and the others as they are required. The board expects to have the school shops erected in time for the opening of school in September. Architect Sturgeon of Los Angeles has been engaged to draw the plans for the polytechnic high school.

With all the fine feathers that a poultry show can offer, the exhibition of the Orange County Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association opened this morning and will continue until 10 o'clock Saturday night.

The judges will probably give out their decisions tomorrow morning. They were busy all day today scoring the birds. The show is being attended by large crowds. A large number of Los Angeles county poultrymen, many of whom are exhibitors, attended the show today.

The Juvenile Court Committee and Juvenile Judge West today took a trip in which they visited the George Junior Republic at Pomona and the County Detention Homes at San Bernardino and Riverside. The purpose of the visits is to gain suggestions for the betterment of the juvenile court work in this county.

E. H. Moeller of Los Angeles failed to show up for trial today on a charge of hunting without a license. His $25 bail was forfeited. He was caught on the San Pedro Gun Club preserves by Deputy Game Commissioner Robinson.

Marriage licenses: Bert Stokely, 29, and Lima Neff, 36, both of Beaumont; Charles H. Smith, 42, and Lottie McDonald, 49, both of Los Angeles.

PASTOR CHASES INSULTER.

Catches Up with Man, Who Swore at Him, in an Alley and Fells Him with Chair.

FRESNO, Dec. 27.—When Rev. Duncan Wallace, pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian Church in this city, was called a vile epithet in his home last night, in the presence of his wife and children by an unknown man, because he had refused to allow him to sleep in his house, he seized a chair and chased his insulter down an alley. Overtaking him after a short run, he struck him over the head with the chair. The man fell to the ground and the minister turned around and went back to his home. He later reported the matter to the police, but the officers were unable to find the man.

Rev. Mr. Wallace and his family were in the kitchen when the man rapped at the back door. The preacher opened the door and the stranger asked for something to eat. He was fed by the pastor and it was then noticed that he was under the influence of liquor. When the man asked for a bed for the night the minister ordered him out. As the stranger passed out the door he applied a vile name to the minister.

Fire early yesterday morning destroyed the home of Jacob Vartanian, an invalid, and might have cost the lives of the members of the family had it not been for the fact that a neighbor saw the flames and aroused the inmates of the house. Mrs. Vartanian and her children escaped, scantily clad, and Vartanian was carried from the burning dwelling after the arrival of the fire company. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

Orange County.

ANCIENT WINERY REHABILITATED.

MODERN BUSINESS CONCERN TO TAKE HOLD.

Dream of Champagne Bubbles Bursts When Vine-Disease Strikes Grapes—Chinese Given First Hunting License as American Citizen.

ANAHEIM, Dec. 26.—The old Dreyfus winery, two miles south of this city, erected twenty-five years ago, which has stood empty for twenty years, has been purchased, with eight acres of land, by Walls and Cook, two business men of this city. The building will be used by a manufacturing concern. The land will be subdivided into city lots for homes for the workmen. The main building is 90x210 feet and cost $42,000. It is of brick with fourteen-inch walls. Aside from this main building, there are several smaller ones.

The Dreyfus winery was built on a 133-acre tract. It was the dream of Dreyfus to establish here the largest winery in Southern California and to make the plant an ideal one. The acreage was put to vines and was to produce the choicest of grapes used in wine-making. The vine disease appeared and the dream was shattered.

Meanwhile a considerable equipment had been put into the building. In all an investment of $150,000 had been made. Dreyfus, heartbroken over the failure, dropped interest in the enterprise and retired from business.

Sam Chin Chu, a Chinese who lives at Placentia, is to be granted a hunting license for $1, as he can prove that he is a citizen of the United States, having been born at Fresno and reared in this city. Chu applied to Deputy Fish and Game Warden Robinson for the permission to catch wild birds, and was told that a hunting license would be necessary before he attempted to carry out his plan.

Chu at once sent in $1 to the County Clerk, who informed him that he would have to pay $25, as he was not a citizen of the United States. Chu presented proof that he is an American citizen, and the license will be issued for $1. Chu has a number of quail, sparrows and linnets in captivity, which he keeps as pets.

Chilis are being shipped from the fields in this territory in large quantities. Large curing plants are kept busy night and day preparing the scarlet and hot vegetable for use. Children and women are employed to string the chilis. Growers are being offered good prices for the well-cured product.

There is yet hanging on the plants many green peppers, they being also in great demand at this season of the year when much of the unpicked product has been destroyed by frost in other parts of California.

BUGGY BOWLED OVER.

Auto Hits Horse-drawn Vehicle Containing Eleven Persons But None Is Seriously Hurt.

ORANGE, Dec. 27.—A three-seated buggy, occupied by eleven persons, was struck amidships last night by an automobile in which Edison Hawk was taking Dale Bay and his wife, married in Los Angeles yesterday, for a ride. The three-seater was skidded off the street and turned over, and the horses broke loose and ran away. No one was seriously injured.

In the buggy were William Batterman and E. A. J. Miller, teachers in the German parochial school, and their families, and the driver, R. Frick. Children were wedged in between their elders, and the buggy was crowded to its limit. As the rig passed Glassell street on Almond, Hawk's Buick, bearing the bride and groom, came along Glassell at a fast rate. Hawk and Bay and his wife managed to keep their seats through the mix-up, but every person in the three-seater was thrown out, some of them landing on a cement gate of an irrigation ditch.

Mrs. Batterman was hysterical and it was feared she was severely injured. After calming, it was proven that her injuries consisted of shock and bruises. Frick had to go to bed on account of a bruised hip.

SELLS HIS BLOODSTONES.

Death Valley Gems to be Mined by Los Angeles Firm and the Man Who Found Them.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 27.—F. M. Myrick, discoverer of the Death Valley bloodstones, came in from Los Angeles today, having completed a contract with the Southwest Turquoise Gem Company, which will have exclusive development of the deposits in Death Valley.

Myrick, who was formerly a Colorado legislator, has been for two years in Death Valley searching for diamonds. It was while on this quest that he discovered in a volcanic deposit the rich gems which are the first bloodstones to be found in this county.

Myrick has also discovered a new gem, in a deposit located some twenty miles from his bloodstone property. It is a light, red transparent, and takes a hard, smooth polish. It will be known as "Myricite," in honor of the discoverer.

MEXICAN BOUND OVER.

COLTON, Dec. 27.—Macario Gonzalez had his preliminary hearing before Justice Hanna this morning on the charge of assault with intent to commit murder, and was held over, with bail fixed at $500.

What city or town do you live in? It will receive due attention in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

New Year's Excursions

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Imperial County.

TWO MORE ALLEGED RUSTLERS CAPTURED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive ...patch.] Jack Holland and L. ... Lynn, two additional members ... I.W.W., charged with stealing, re... were brought to the County ... last night from Devil's Canyon. ... men found their way to the ... road camp maintained in the ... after the battle south of Coy... ... in which four men were ... Sunday by Sheriff Meadows ... posse. They reached the ... road camp in the nighttime ... heard by the night watch ... guard over the prisoners who ... on the county roads, and ... placed under arrest.

This makes a total of nine I.W.W. men held in the Imperial county jail to answer to charges to be preferred against them for stock stealing, resisting officers, etc. The men held here are P. W. Blanc, E. F. Lefferts, Myron Marshall, T. M. Dodson, J. W. Stanford, Fred Niles, James Roberts, Jack Holland and L. T. Lynn.

J. W. Stanford, leader of the gang, who was shot in the hip by the officers when he resisted arrest last Sunday, has a painful, but not necessarily serious wound.

Sheriff Meadows and his deputies are determined that the lawlessness that has been going on at Holtville and vicinity must stop and more arrests are probable.

Postscript: Second Edition.

REPORTS BY WIRE IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS.

JUST BEFORE GOING TO PRESS

News Gathered From Far and Near After 2 O'clock A.M.

The Very Latest.

BLAME JAPAN FOR MIXING IN.

Chinese Rebels Propose to Resume Hostilities.

Britons Are Now Demanding Action in Persia.

Another American May Land the Teheran Job.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 28.—A Shanghai dispatch to the Paris edition of the New York Herald says the republicans have received unimpeachable information that Japan is influencing Prince Ching, the ex-Premier, and Premier Yuan Shi Kai against a republic, and they are wildly excited at this state of affairs. They declare that, unless Premier Yuan announces a definite policy immediately, they will resume hostilities on Sunday. A strong protest also is being framed, says the dispatch, and will be sent to Tokio, warning Japan that responsibility for the resumption of hostilities will be on their shoulders. The Tokio correspondent of the Herald says he learns that Japan will offer only friendly advice against the establishment of a republic in China.

DEMAND ACTION.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The London morning papers print editorials dealing with the gravity of Persian affairs and the necessity of action on the outrage against the British Consul at Shiraz and of taking adequate measures to uphold British prestige, in view of the evident impotence of the Persian authorities to maintain order. Generally greater anxiety is betrayed over the outcome of the complicated situation that has arisen and doubts are expressed as to whether it will be possible to preserve Persia as an independent buffer state between Russia and India. The radical papers are dismayed at the drastic measures Russia proposes to take at Tabriz and Enzeli, which, they declare, point to a policy of annihilation, for which Great Britain, under the Anglo-Russian agreement, will be held responsible throughout the East.

The Teheran correspondent of the Times telegraphs:

"Infantry from Jask and all available ships, it is reported, have been ordered to Bushire, a seaport 125 miles from Shiraz, and a punitive expedition is thought likely.

"The people of Teheran appear to be cowed by Russian excesses at Tabriz. The ministers, alarmed at the anger of the populace, have issued an announcement that elections will be held a week hence, but that announcement is not believed.

"The principal candidate for Treasurer-General is Ameer Mujahid, the Bakhtiari, whose knowledge of arithmetic is defective, but who is reported to have the deepest pocket of all his acquisitive tribe.

"His candidature throws a lurid light on the Bakhtiari support of the Cabinet."

Russian telegrams from Tabriz yesterday reported that fighting had been resumed. Five persons were killed and four wounded in the Russian consulate in that city. The other consulates were safe.

LOST AT SEA.

LISBON (Portugal) Dec. 28.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The British steamer Devonshire, which arrived here yesterday, reports the foundering of the British steamer Hughenden in the Bay of Biscay on December 21. The Devonshire rescued two of the crew of the Hughenden, the others being lost.

AMERICAN MAY LAND.

TEHERAN, Dec. 28.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] It is understood the Regent and Cabinet desire the appointment of an American, F. E. Cairns, the principal associate of Mr. Shuster, as the new Treasurer-General of Persia. It is more likely, however, that M. Mornard, the Belgian ex-Director of Customs in Persia, who some months ago made himself prominent by his hostility to Mr. Shuster, will receive the position.

The British consul at Shiraz, W. A. Smart, who was wounded in a fight near Kaseroon, is lying in a caravansary. Medical assistance has been sent him. The consul was being escorted by Indian Sowars when an attack was made by eight hundred Kashgai tribesmen.

The Indians were forced to retreat to Kaseroon, leaving the consul behind, and for a time much anxiety was felt concerning his fate. Reinforcements of 150 Sowars have been dispatched from Shiraz to relieve the force at Kaseroon.

WILL SAVE GEN. REYES.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 28.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] That President Madero will not insist upon the death penalty for Reyes and his followers was shown yesterday when the father of David Reyes Retana obtained executive clemency for his son. Young Retana was a prominent lawyer here until he took up the fight with Reyes. He was captured at Burgos, Tamaulipas.

Hearing of his son's predicament, the father went to Madero yesterday and stated after the conference that the President had promised to spare his son's life.

FIRE AT SOLDIERS' HOME.

Flames, Originating in Refuse Room, Extinguished by Workmen Before Much Damage Is Done.

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. 27.—A fire, discovered in the library building during noon hour, caused considerable excitement for awhile today, and, were it not for the prompt action of workingmen employed in construction of the fountain near that building, a serious conflagration might have resulted. On hearing the fire alarm, their attention was attracted to a volume of smoke issuing from a window in the building. They hurried to one of the fire-hose boxes near the building and had the flames under control before the arrival of the fire company.

The fire was discovered in a small closet on the first floor, under a stairway leading to the G.A.R. post rooms on the second floor. The closet is used as a repository for surplus numbers of the Congressional Record, old books and other trash.

RECENT DEATHS.

Frank W. Leland, formerly of the United States Navy, a native of Massachusetts, admitted from San Francisco in 1908, died December 26, aged 75.

PHOTOGRAPHER ENDS LIFE.

Returns to Santa Monica After Six Years Absence and Commits Suicide by Taking Strychnine.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 27.—Walter Franklin, a photographer, committed suicide last night by taking strychnine. His body was discovered this morning in his room at the Milwaukee lodging-house on Utah avenue. Beside the body was an empty bottle, which had contained the strychnine.

Franklin came here a few days ago from Clint, Tex., where he had been conducting a poultry ranch. He leaves a widow and child, but during recent years lived apart from them.

He formerly lived here six years ago. He mysteriously disappeared, deserting his wife and baby. He was later located in Texas, but no attempt was made to bring him back.

Franklin was at one time a member of the local Lodge of Elks and resided on North Fourth street.

GETS FAT JOB.

BAIRD, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] James H. Kempton, of this place, was appointed assistant in the crop acclimatization section in the Agricultural Department at Washington today.

San Bernardino.

PAROLED MAN STIRS HITS UP AT ASYLUMNG.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 27.—Walter Cutts, committed at his own request to the State Hospital at Patton, from Los Angeles, last July, as an inebriate, gave the hospital folks an exciting struggle this afternoon when he returned in a machine with his wife to the hospital to secure his belongings. He had been paroled yesterday. The hospital officials scented liquor on his breath, and informed him that he would have to return to the hospital, as he had broken his parole.

There was a quick mix-up, and two attendants were floored. Cutts escaped to the machine, and ordered the driver, Frank Dean, under peril of his life, to drive on. He was taken to Redlands Junction, where he left the machine, and Mrs. Cutts came on into town. The hospital authorities appealed to the Sheriff, stating that Cutts was heavily armed and dangerous.

"Walter has not even a knife in his possession," declared Mrs. Cutts, when asked regarding his revolvers.

"Those two humps in his back pocket, with which he frightened the chauffeur, are nothing but his black bedroom slippers.

"Did he take a drink? Why, of course, he did, and he had a right to. He has been cooped up in that hospital for four months without a drop of liquor, and he had a right to drink—any man would under the circumstances."

NOT EXPERIENCED.

"We want a divorce," said Mrs. J. White, accompanying her husband, a Bloomington farmer, into the County Clerk's office today.

"I consent to it," chimed in the husband.

They were both astonished when they were informed they could not be divorced that easily.

"We both consent, so what's it anybody's business," was the woman's retort.

The couple were referred to a law firm. To the lawyers the woman explained that she had nothing whatever against her husband, personally; that he was a nice fellow, was kind, and gave her all she wanted, but they had concluded after two months' married life that they were not mated, and could never reach that supreme happiness which husband and wife should enjoy together.

"They're not married," was the protest at the Bradford House, when information was sought regarding the supposed wedding at Los Angeles today of D. B. Davis, son of the proprietor of the Bradford, San Bernardino's pioneer hostelry.

"He and Miss Clara Williamson, a teacher in the schools of Salt Lake City, went to Los Angeles this morning merely to spend the day. They're engaged, and are to be married soon. She had come on from Salt Lake to spend the holidays here, and had never seen Los Angeles, a visit there being her ambition," declared a brother.

"This evening mother received a telephone message from him saying they had missed the train home, and so wouldn't return until tomorrow morning. Surely, if they'd been married, he'd said something about it."

The Davis family are among the old-time residents of the city and are well known throughout the valley.

When it was suggested that perhaps Davis had "slipped one over on the family," the brother laughingly replied: "Well, it wouldn't shock me."

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Burbank—"The Blue Mouse" 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Empress—Vaudeville ....2:30, 6:30, 7:45, 9:00 p.m.
Grand—The Toymaker ..... 8:15 p.m.
Garrick—Vaudeville ..... Continuous
Lyceum—"Bis Hopkins" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Majestic—"Mother" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Mason—"A Fool There Was" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville ..... 2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
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NEWS IN BRIEF

Veterans to Smoke.

A smoker will be held by the members of the Bartlett-Logan Post, G.A.R., at No. 517 South Broadway, Saturday evening. An entertaining programme has been arranged.

Not a Gold One.

After having thrown a brick through a plate glass window of the Tufts-Lyon Arms Company on South Spring street early Christmas morning, a thief took four revolvers. He was seen by a taxicab driver, but escaped.

Believe Him Next Time.

A. Ruis, of No. 577 Gallardo street, watchman for the Pioneer Truck Company, reported to the police yesterday that Tuesday night two young men held him up at the corner of Lafayette street and Laborty Lane. He told them he had nothing but was searched just the same. The bandits got nothing.

He Can't Wear Hers.

Detective Davis has been asked by A. T. Duley of No. 3936 Halldale avenue, to locate the woman who owns the suitcase he picked up in a Salt Lake depot car by mistake. She has his grip, filled with his wearing apparel. G. F. Lewis of No. 3565 Elsworth street, Hollywood, reported to Davis that while his automobile was standing in front of No. 212 North Los Angeles street, Tuesday night, someone stole a quantity of baby clothes.

Authority on Philanthropy.

Next Friday, at 8 p.m., the pulpit of Dr. Hecht at Temple B'nai B'rith will be occupied by Dr. D. Blaustein of the New York School of Philanthropy. Dr. Blaustein is an authority on that subject in all its branches and his present trip across the continent and through the cities in the Coast States has been a welcome opportunity to thousands to hear the important matter discussed by an authority. The public of Los Angeles is cordially invited to hear Dr. Blaustein.

Tickets for New Year's Dinner.

On New Year's evening a dinner will be given in the old Hamburger building, Franklin and Spring streets, under the auspicies of the Bible institute, to 500 needy newsboys and orphans. A large number of tickets have been placed in the hands of the newspapers of the city for delivery to those who are deserving of them, among the newsboys. Others may call at the building above indicated any time between now and Monday night, where they will find William Mullen, street evangelist for the institute, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. who will give tickets to those he finds entitled to them.

Half Ton of Fireworks.

What will be the biggest pyrotechnic display ever seen here will be that used in the spectacular reproduction of Commodore Perry's naval battle at Put-in Bay, scheduled as the grand finale to the evening's entertainment by the Komikal Knights of the Karnival at the Pasadena Tournament of Roses on New Year's Day. One thousand pounds of fireworks, 10,000 square yards of painted scenery and fifteen miniature battleships will be used in the spectacle. The pyrotechnics are made specially for this occasion and are being brought here by J. H. Caswell and J. G. Evans of New York.

BREVITIES.

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BODILLY—WINDWEH. Charles B. Bodilly, 25; Amelia J. Windweh, 21.
BROWNLEY—RYAN. John Brownley, 40; Katherine A. Ryan, 29.
CHRISTIAN—BAUCHANT. Walter G. Christian, 31; Ella M. Bauchant, 27.
CONSTEMANCHE—CONNORS. Alphonse J. Constemanche, 29; Alice K. Connors, 25.
DARBY-BROWNE. John C. Darby, 25; Coral L. Browne, 24.
DAVIS—M'KINNON. William T. Davis, 51; Edna M. McKinnon, 40.
DAVIS—WILLIAMSON. Daniel B. Davis, 23; Clara Williamson, 21.
DISTILI—GROHS. William J. Distili, 26; Maye M. Grohs, 27.
DONATO—HASCHI. Pietro Donato, 26; Teresa Ymon Haschi, 17.
FERGUS—KLIPPERT. Benjamin W. Fergus, 29; Evelyn Klippert, 25.
FISHER—MORRIS. Clyde A. Fisher, 23; Helen E. Morris, 22.
GOLDMAN—FRANK. Morris Goldman, 23; Ida Frank, 23.
HILLMAN—ANUNDSON. Lloyd K. Hillman, 22; Doris M. Anundson, 21.
HOBBS—JONES. Travis R. Hobbs, 25; Mary G. Jones, 22.
HOPPER—LOREY. Pearl Hopper, 27; Treas Lorey, 22.
JENKINS—ZARFLUSH. Walter A. Jenkins, 27; Elsie R. Zarflush, 27.
KENT—ENGH. Frederick H. Kent, 47; Josephine F. Engh, 33.
LEAKE—GAMBLE. Roy B. Leake, 21; Myrtle M. Gamble, 18.
LESLIE—HAGEN. Hugh A. Leslie, 35; Frederick Hagen, 34.
MAAG—GAETZ. Otto E. Maag, 27; Catherine G. Gaetz, 29.
M'DONALD—LARSON. Richard G. McDonald, 26; Clara E. Larson, 24.
MITCHELL—BOSTWICK. Robert Mitchell, 42; Florence F. Bostwick, 34.
MITCHELL—MACKEY. Grover Mitchell, 27; Nellie Mackey, 20.
MORRIS—DEVEREAUX. William E. Morris, 44; Gertie Devereaux, 32.
NAIL—KIRBY. William Nail, 40; Lulu M. Kirby, 32.
NEISE—SMITH. Charles A. Neisse, 35; Anna Smith, 36.
PARKER—HOWARD. Earl H. Parker, 23; Nellie B. Howard, 24.
PETELL—KOONTZ. John F. Petell, 40; Mary Koontz, 36.
PRICE—BISBEY. James P. Price, 28; Alice A. Bisbey, 19.
PHILLIPSON—REYNOLDS. William M. Phillipson, 37; Lottie B. Reynolds, 36.
ROSAMOND—WIENEKD. Frank W. Rosamond, 29; Mary Wienekd, 23.
ROSENTHAL—M'CLOWEN. George A. Rosenthal, 44; Ethel McCowan, 34.
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SCHUPP—KIRBIS. George R. Schupp, 37; Henrietta B. Kirbis, 34.
SHIRLY—SCHOLTES. Jesse Shirly, 21; Mae N. Scholtes, 20.
SMITH—LAWSON. Ernest Smith, 23; Mabel E. Lawson, 22.
SMITH—MILLER. Charles S. Smith, 22; A. Gertrude Miller, 20.
STOSE—MAY. Clemens W. Stose, 25; Ethel H. May, 22.
TORRES—GARCIA. Ricperto Torres, 50; Maria Garcia, 42.
WISDOM—RAND. Milton V. Wisdom, 24, Mildred Rand, 19.
YOUNKEN—PALMER. Charles T. Younken, 29; Edith M. Palmer, 24.
ZIERER—SOLON. Martin Zierer, 32; Mary J. Solon, 32.
ZORNES—HORTON. Ed. Zornes, 21; Susie A. Horton, 21.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ADAMS. Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Boy. Hospital Good Samaritan, December 23.
BEDIGIAN. Mr. and Mrs. Ovagin. Boy. No. 1016 East Twenty-fourth street. December 19.
DUESSELIE. Mr. and Mrs. Frank. Boy. No. 656 Seventeenth street (San Pedro.) December 18.
ENGLESTROM. Mr. and Mrs. Frits. Boy. No. 1449 Biswick street. December 22.
FENGUAY. Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Boy. No. 635 West Thirtieth street. December 14.
FOULTON. Mr. and Mrs. Edward. Boy. No. 178 East Thirty-sixth street. December 24.
LUTHER. Mr. and Mrs. James I. Boy. No. 1709 Barber street. December 21.
MORGAN. Mr. and Mrs. John. Boy. No. 520 West Eleventh street. December 22.
NODLER. Mr. and Mrs. Harry. Boy. No. 1009 Crocker street. December 18.
MARTINEZ. Mr. and Mrs. Jesus. Daughter. No. 849 Lord street. December 22.
PACKARD, JR. Hale B. No. 122 Ellita place. December 26.
ROBERTSON. Mr. and Mrs. Shelly L. Boy. No. 731 West Washington street. December 24.
SALINAS. Mr. and Mrs. Primitiva. Daughters (twins.) No. 343 North Utah street. December 27.
SANGER. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse W. Daughter. No. 321 South Olive street. December 24.
SCHNEIDER. Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy. No. 1245½ Palm street. December 13.
SMOOT. Mr. and Mrs. James T. Daughter. No. 3823 Oregon street. December 25.
SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. Walter. Boy. No. 405 North Avenue 61. December 26.
THOMAS. Mr. and Mrs. Frank. No. 6327 Neva place. December 18.
WESTON. Mr. and Mrs. Louis. Boy. No. 121 East Sixty-first street. November 25.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BLAKE. Cornelius against Philly B.
BUTTE. Emma J. against Frank C.
COOKE. Josie against Julius H.
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JOHNSON. Stella Elizabeth against James Hallday.
JONES. J. D. against Lillie F.
OLSEN. Christine against Martin.
LYONS. Laura E. against James A.
M'ADAMS. Edith M. against Ernest R.
MITCHELL. Mabel against Lloyd G.
MURPHEY. Florence J. against Walter B.
ROGERS. Elizabeth C. against Leslie V.
WILLS. Myrtle B. against Paul B.

DIVORCE DECREE GRANTED.

RICHART. Emma from Ralph B.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

	Age.	Date.
ANDREWS, Fred. Los Angeles	52	24
CAMPBELL, Ethel. Los Angeles	39	24
COWIN, Georgie M. Los Angeles	36	24
EILER, Floyd C. Los Angeles	25	24
GRAYSON, Anna. Los Angeles	46	24
HERRING, Joseph. Los Angeles	85	24
HOLLAND, Price. Los Angeles	70	24
LABARRA, Louis De. Los Angeles	76	24
MARVIN, Edward B. Los Angeles	21	26
MONTAGUE, Edna L. Los Angeles	53	23
NOBLE, Pembroke Q. Los Angeles	65	23
PARSONS, Bret F. Los Angeles	42	25
SAI, Him Wong. Los Angeles	67	25
SPEER, Margarette E. Los Angeles	21	25
VAN OUTEN, Walter W. Los Angeles	21	24
WILCOX, Thomas. Los Angeles	80	24
WILLICK, Henry. Los Angeles	62	25
WILSON, Edward S. Los Angeles	25	25
WING, Chew. Los Angeles	40	25

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BARNHARDT. December 24, 1911. Emery E. Barnhardt, aged 24 years.
Remains at Bresee Brothers. Interment Johnstown, Pa.

CROSS. At Santa Monica, No. 1240 Eighth street, mother of C. C. and John N. and Mrs. Mershon and Mrs. Moore.
Funeral services today at 2 p.m., at Bresee Brothers & Todd's chapel, Third street Santa Monica.

EILER. December 25, 1911. Floyd C. Eiler.
Funeral services will be held from chapel of Orr & Boothe Company, Twelfth and Hope streets, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment Rosedale.

FISK. At Venice, James E. Fisk. Remains at Bresee Brothers & Todd's chapel.

FRANKLIN. At Santa Monica. Walter B. Franklin, aged 28.
Remains at Bresee Brothers & Todd's chapel.

GRISWOLD. Died December 26, Mrs. Catherine Griswold, at No. 427 North Boylston.
Funeral at Robert Sharp & Sons, South Flower street, between Twelfth and Pico streets, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends invited.

HILLIER. At Crocker Hospital, December 26, Henry Hillier, aged 56 years.
Funeral Thursday at 2 p.m., from W. H. Sutch's chapel.

HOLMES. At Santa Monica. James A. Holmes.
Remains at Bresee Brothers & Todd's chapel.

LAWSON. Died at his home in Alhambra, Rev. Francis Lawson, in the 87th year of his age.
Services 3 p.m., December 28, at Alhambra Undertaking Company's chapel. No flowers.

LOWRY. At No. 684 West Vernon avenue, December 27, 1911. Charlotte E. Lowry, Methodist Deaconess.
Funeral at the chapel of Bresee Brothers, No. 805 Figueroa street, Thursday, at 4 o'clock. Interment Connesaville, Pa.

MARVIN. At 2251 West Twentieth street, Tuesday, December 26, Edward B. Marvin, a native of Halifax, Nova Scotia, late of Victoria, B. C., aged 21 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Peck & Chase Co., 1213 South Figueroa, Thursday, December 28, at 2 o'clock.

MILLER. At No. 1650 West Twenty-third street, December 26, 1911. J. M., beloved husband of Josephine Miller, and father of Charles A. Miller, Mrs. F. A. Sennet and Mrs. F. J. Palomares, aged 79 years.
Funeral from residence today, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

MITCHELL. L. W., passed away at Glendale Sanatorium, in his 78th year. Beloved father of Mrs. John Yeats and Mrs. Frank E. Hayward of San Francisco, Mrs. G. E. Sheldon and Mrs. Ralph B. Homann of Los Angeles. Mr. Will Mitchell and Mr. Frank Mitchell of San Francisco, and Mr. Clyde Mitchell of Sierra Madre.
Funeral from residence of Mrs. Ralph E. Homann, No. 1022 North Coronado street, Friday a.m. Private.

MONTAGUE. At No. 2024 West Eleventh street, December 27. Mrs. Edna Louise Montague, aged 53 years.
Remains at W. H. Sutch's parlors. Interment Riverside, Cal.

PABST. Los Angeles, December 26, 1911, Frederick J. Pabst, aged 64 years.
Funeral at the chapel of Bresee Bros., 805 Figueroa, Thursday at 11 a.m.

PARMENTER. At 773 Merritt, Pasadena, Cal., December 25, 1911, John Wesley Parmenter, aged 68 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce & Burnham Company, 317 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena, Thursday, at 2 p.m. Please omit flowers. Interment private.

PARSONS. In this city, December 25, Ferdinand Parsons, age 42 years.
Funeral from chapel of Pierce Brothers Company, 316 South Hill street, December 29, at 2 p.m. Ausplces L. A. Lodge No. 99 B.P.O.E.

SERVATINS. December 26, at No. 453 South Chicago street. Mary Servatins, aged 72 years.
Remains at parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor. Interment Pond du Lac, Wis.

STOLL. December 26, Verna Stoll, dearly beloved mother of Edward and Robert Stoll, Hermina Bryant, Elise Stoll and Louise Vender Kuhlen, aged 75 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral 1:30 p.m. Thursday, from her late residence, 1400 South Figueroa street. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

WELLES. At her home, No. 5545 Hub street, December 26, Harriet M. Welles, aged 51, beloved wife of J. U. Welles.
Funeral services at Connell Company parlors, No. 1051 South Grand avenue, Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery.

G.A.R. FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of the G.A.R. Posts and Relief Corps are requested to attend the funeral of our late comrade, Eben North, formerly of Co. G, Third Minnesota Infantry, which will be held at Stanton Post plot, Rosedale Cemetery, Friday, December 29.

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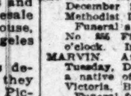

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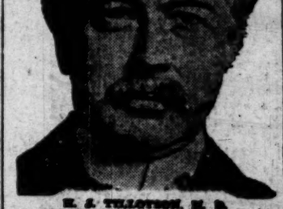

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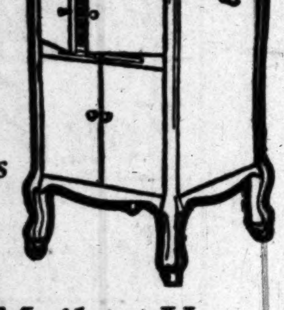

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Looking for Something?

OFFICER FINDS HIM IN CLOSET.

Ex-Chief Deputy Recorder Is Haled Forth; Arrested.

Two Serious Charges Are Now Laid Against Him.

Former Lady Copyist Named in the Matter.

David W. Flanigan, former chief deputy recorder, was arrested yesterday morning while in company with Mrs. Truman Cole, a former copyist in the Recorder's office. He is charged in a warrant sworn to by his wife and issued out of Deputy District-Attorney Joos's office, with failure to provide for his two minor children and with another serious offense. The arrest, which created a sensation among Flanigan's former associates at the Courthouse, is the culmination of domestic differences. In a suit for divorce now pending against him, Flanigan is under orders to pay his wife $50 a month alimony, which, she declares, he has not done. The name of Mrs. Cole is mentioned in the complaint. She is divorced; her former husband was drillmaster at Whittier.

Constable Lyons, who made the arrest, had to break in the door of an apartment in a South Hill-street house in order to place Flanigan in custody. It is said the constable and Deputy Benjamin had some difficulty in locating Flanigan, finding him at length hiding in a closet.

He remained in custody in Justice of the Peace Summerfield's courtroom all morning and until 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, while a friend was trying to procure $2500 bail. He avoided conversation and would not discuss his arrest. Finally he gave bonds with Dr. Sumner Quint, former police surgeon, as one of the sureties.

Mrs. Flanigan is well connected and widely known. Among her schoolmates, it is said, were Mrs. Summerfield, Judge McCormick and others equally well known. She began her suit for divorce last August, alleging statutory grounds and praying for alimony and for the custody of her two children, aged 7 and 4 years, respectively. Just a month ago, Flanigan filed an answer to the suit in which he denied all the allegations. Seven weeks ago, the Superior Court in department No. 6 made the alimony order, his wife stating that she had received nothing from him. She lives on South Eastlake avenue.

On account of Justice Summerfield's acquaintance with the family, an order was made in the afternoon transferring the two charges to Justice Reeves's court.

WE'RE MOST ECONOMICAL.

Secretary of Treasury's Report Shows It Costs Less to Collect Customs Here Than Any Coast City.

The annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury, just received, shows that the cost of making collections at the local United States customhouse, of which Collector Pendleton is in charge, is the smallest on the dollar of any district on the Pacific Coast. It costs but 6½ cents to collect a dollar in Los Angeles, while in San Francisco, the next cheapest, the expense is 7 cents and one mill. At Puget Sound the expense is 11 cents and 4 mills; Astoria, 63 cents; Portland, 7 cents and 8 mills; Eureka, $1.90 and 2 mills; and San Diego, 19 cents and 4 mills.

With the receipts of customs for the last week of 1911, estimated at $25,000, the comparative statement issued yesterday by Collector Pendleton indicates an increase of the figures for 1911 over those of 1910 of $66,739.61. The total receipts for 1910 were $712,034.36, while those for the year just closing, including the final estimate referred to, reach $778,773.97.

The receipts by months were as follows:

	1910.	1911.
January	$ 49,107.10	$ 55,120.60
February	38,489.00	68,127.15
March	45,959.06	66,959.43
April	51,145.48	51,024.54
May	51,798.25	45,300.34
June	44,111.52	52,634.03
July	49,354.76	49,909.71
August	49,260.61	63,540.28
September	103,885.38	87,521.94
October	84,885.58	88,250.81
November	81,787.22	67,952.96
December	62,750.40	82,432.17
Total	$712,034.36	$778,773.97

PALO VERDE ENTRIES LEGAL.

Secretary of the Interior Declares That Colorado River Bottoms Belong to Uncle Sam.

The action of the Secretary of the Interior in declaring that the Palo Verde Valley lands are not swamp lands belonging to the State of California but non-swamp land which the national government has full right to open to the entry of settlers, will operate to secure immediate action in the local Land Office on the pending entries.

More than 200 of these instruments have been on file in the office, awaiting the final decision of the Secretary of the Interior on the question. It has been decided that the overflow of the Colorado River is but temporary and that they are subject to entry just the same as any other desert land.

The work of proving up on former entries that have been held in abeyance will now go on rapidly.

FOR BOY'S BROKEN ARM.

Little Joseph Robert Schucking, aged 6, tried to get on a grocery wagon on September 26. The horse started and little Joseph fell and broke his arm. Yesterday the lad's father sued the Buffalo Grocery Company, owner of the wagon, declaring that the youngster had been invited to ride and that he had been sent from the seat by the driver's side to a house to deliver a package. On his return to the wagon, the father says, the horse was started too quickly and that is the cause alleged for the suit filed in the Justices's Court yesterday, in which the boy, by his father guardian for the purpose of the action, asks for $275 damages

SIX ARE INDICTED.

Federal Grand Jury Finds True Bills Against Alleged Principals in Coolie Smuggling Conspiracy.

The United States grand jury yesterday wrote a new chapter in the State-wide conspiracy to smuggle Chinese laborers into California, by returning indictments against the principals in the recent Monterey episode. The bond in each case was fixed by Judge Wellborn at $7000 and there is but little chance that any of the accused will be able to furnish it. The charge is conspiracy to smuggle.

Those indicted were Antonio Feliz, Mrs. Ethel Hall, Reynold Scott, Charley Wing, Ma Tin Loy and Kuni Unimo. Antonio Feliz and Mrs. Hall are the leading spirits in the conspiracy, according to the testimony in the hands of the immigration authorities. Scott was engineer of the launch Comrade, captured in Monterey Bay; Wing and Loy are in jail at Monterey in connection with the job, and Kuni Unimo is a Japanese, who was in charge of the boat loaded with Chinese coming in to land at Monterey from the Comrade.

Capt. Wright, in command of the Comrade, has so far escaped indictment, and it is possible the government has other uses for him.

Southern Romance Sundered by Death.

Prof. J. M. Vincent and his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Kipp Vincent, of this city, who met and were married in the College of Santiago, Chile. Prof. Vincent, a man of considerable wealth and at one time one of the best-known educators in Southern California, shot and killed himself on Lookout Mountain yesterday. The mental effects of long overstudy and disappointment in financial matters are thought to have prompted the act.

Financial.

BEGIN THE YEAR ONE BIG BANK.

SECURITY ABSORBS EQUITABLE AND SOUTHERN TRUST.

Combined Deposits of the Three Institutions Will Be Forty Millions of Dollars—Equitable Branch Will Be Maintained at First and Spring. Enlarged Quarters.

By a combining of forces, three great banking institutions of this city expect to present inducements to the public early next year in the line of greater savings, commercial banking and trust securities, with total resources approximating $44,000,000. Negotiations are gradually being perfected for the amalgamation of the Southern Trust Company and the Equitable Savings Bank with the Security Savings Bank.

During the past two days two-thirds of the directors of the Security Savings Bank and the Southern Trust Company have ratified the consolidation agreement, and the combination will be effected so soon as the consent of the necessary two-thirds of the stockholders shall have been obtained.

The Security Savings Bank has $1,650,000 capital paid in and $1,900,000 surplus and undivided profits, making a total of approximately $3,350,000. The combined deposits of the three institutions will be approximately $40,000,000, and the total resources $44,000,000.

The Security Savings Bank has recently amended its articles of incorporation to include a general trust business, and is enlarging its banking quarters on the ground floor of the Security building and will soon have the entire floor.

The Security Savings Bank will maintain an Equitable branch in the quarters now occupied by the Equitable Savings Bank in the Equitable Bank building, First and Spring streets. The present offices of the Southern Trust Company will be released after the merger and the trust business will be carried on at the main office in the Security building.

J. F. Sartori, president of the Security Savings Bank, will be president of the greater institution, and, while a readjustment will be necessary, it is likely that all the present officers of the other institutions will hold similar capacities in the big bank. It will be necessary to enlarge the board of directors.

JINX STILL ON THE JOB.

Fred A. Thompson, convicted of receiving stolen money, came up in the United States District Court for sentence yesterday, but at the request of Lecompte Davis the matter went over for a week. Assistant United States Attorney Regan asked that sentence be imposed immediately. but Judge Wellborn was told that Jud Rush, who tried the case, is sick at Arrowhead Hot Springs and allowed the delay asked for.

Presidential Order.

RICHEST LANDS ARE WITHDRAWN

Great Sunset Field Tract Is Closed to Entry.

Takes Out Kern County's Best Undeveloped Section.

Will Not Affect Those Actually Drilling Now.

Twenty-seven hundred acres of the best undeveloped oil land in Kern county has been withdrawn from public entry by special order of President Taft. The order was received yesterday at the local land office. It bars from settlement, location, sale or entry by individuals or corporations of a great tract in the Sunset field, made famous by the Lakeview gusher, the greatest oil well in the world. The land withdrawn lies directly west of the Lakeview and east of Maricopa.

The order is promulgated by the Department of the Interior, by S. V. Proudfit, assistant commissioner of the General Land Office. Its provisions do not apply to cases where entrymen are engaged in the work of developing the oil territory, but to those who have made entries and are holding the land for speculative purposes. The withdrawal is made by virtue of an act authorizing the President of the United States to make such withdrawals of public lands in certain cases. The land involved in the executive order ranges in size from forty to 640 acres, the latter being a full section.

It is the understanding at the local land office that nearly, if not all of this land has already been made the subject of entry. The entrymen who have erected drills on their property, and are really at work developing the oil-bearing qualities of the land will not be molested. Much of the property is in close proximity to the largest producing wells in the Sunset and Maricopa fields and is proven territory.

On account of the importance of the executive order, and the further fact that scores of Los Angeles people are interested in the land to the extent of having made conditional entries in the big mineral or oil belt, the technical description of the various tracts involved is appended:

SAN BERNARDINO MERIDIAN.

T. 11 N., R. 22 W., Sec. 6, N.W.¼ of N.W.¼.

T. 12 N., R. 22 W., Sec. 31, S.½ of S.W.¼.

T. 11 N., R. 23 W., Sec. 1, N½ of N.E.¼, S.W.¼ of N.E.¼, N.W.¼, N.½ of S.W.¼; Sec. 2, N.½, S.W.¼, N.½ of S.E.¼, S.W.¼ of S.E.¼.

T. 11 N., R. 23 W., Sec. 3, E.½ of E.½, S.W.¼ of S.E.¼; Sec. 10, N.½ of N.E.¼, S.E.¼ of N.E.¼, N.E.¼ of N.W.¼, S.½ of N.W.¼, N.W.¼ of S.W.¼; Sec. 11, N.W.¼ of N.W.¼.

T. 12 N., R. 23 W., Sec. 26 (fractional,) S.W.¼, W.½ of S.E.¼; Sec. 27 (fractional,) all; Sec. 28 (fractional,) E.½ of S.E.¼; Sec. 33, N.E.¼ of N.E.¼; Sec. 34, N.½, N.E.¼ of S.W.¼, S.E.¼; Sec. 35, all; Sec. 36, W.½ of N.W.¼, S.E.¼ of N.W.¼, S.W.¼, W.½ of S.E.¼, S.E.¼ of S.E.¼.

FUNERAL OF A BRAVE MAN.

Last Rites for Patrolman Eiler, Slain in the Performance of Duty, This Afternoon—Chief Praises Him.

The remains of Patrolman Floyd E. Eiler, who died on Christmas Day from the effects of a pistol wound received while attempting to arrest two bandits at the corner of First and Garey streets, will be buried this afternoon. The services will be held at 2 o'clock from the undertaking parlors of Orr & Boothe, Twelfth and Hope streets. Rev. Matt. S. Hughes of Pasadena will officiate. Interment will be at Rosedale.

The following statement appeared in yesterday's issue of the Daily Bulletin, the official paper of the police department, signed by Chief Sebastian:

The courage displayed by Patrolman Eiler in his effort to halt the operations of the man who wounded him, coupled with the sentiment he expressed on his death bed—"Chief, I did my best to perform my duty; I know I am dying; all I ask of the boys is to take care of mother"—is worthy of unstinted praise. Too much in the way of commendation cannot be said for the bravery he exhibited and his thoughtfulness for his mother. His death is considered a loss to the police department.

The following-named officers will report at Central Station December 28 at 1:30 o'clock p.m., to act as a funeral escort: Lieut. Heath and Patrolmen Frost, Farrell, J. C. Miller, C. P. Stevens, E. E. Brown, Laurance, Clark, Hatch, Cantwell, Elsner, Werts, Brooke, Greeley, Slaughter and Luth.

The pallbearers will be Sergts. Wallace, Wehrley, Hackett, Heath, Gifford and Droegemeyer.

Pathetic.

DEATH SHATTERS THEIR ROMANCE.

SOUTH AMERICAN LOVE STORY ENDED BY SUICIDE.

On Lonely Lookout Mountain Well Known Educator Puts an End to His Life and His Despondency With a Revolver Bullet—Family Formerly Prominent Here.

Joseph M. Vincent, one of the well-known technical educators of this country and Chili, whose family owned much property in this city more than a decade ago, committed suicide on Lookout Mountain Tuesday afternoon by shooting himself through the head. His body was found early yesterday morning lying among the weeds on the west side of the southern slope of the mountain.

The cause is believed to have been despondency, superinduced by hard study and teaching. He had recently lost a portion of his fortune in a mining venture in the Cobalt district, New Ontario, Canada. Vincent leaves a widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Kipp Vincent, temporarily a resident at No. 106 North Figueroa street, and a brother in Washington, D. C.

The last time Mrs. Vincent saw her husband was at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. He was in his library reading his Bible. He seemed more despondent than usual, but never intimated by word or deed that he contemplated taking his life. Mrs. Vincent sat up almost all night waiting for her husband, and early yesterday morning summoned assistance.

Vincent evidently went directly to the crest of the hill when he left home. He sat facing the west, lifted the revolver to his head, placed the muzzle back of the right ear, pulled the trigger and fell backwards dead. The body lay on the hillside all night.

Joseph Vincent, the father, was a native of Nova Scotia. Joseph M. was born in a small Indiana town on September 15, 1857. Father and son came to Los Angeles about 1880. The father invested his money in property and lived upon his income. About three years later he died and his son went to Santiago, Chili, where he became a professor in the American College conducted there by Dr. I. H. La Fetra, now of No. 201 South Normandie avenue. It was in that school that Vincent met Miss Elizabeth Kipp, head of the department of literature. They were married, and moved to New York City, where Vincent became the head of one of the departments in the Packard Business College on Twenty-third street, holding the position for eighteen years. Last summer he resigned because of failing health, and engaged in mining in the Cobalt district. He lost a few thousand dollars, had a chance to sell his mine after discovering that it had "pinched out," and refused. His other properties there are dividend producers. Vincent is part owner of a large olive orchard and olive oil works near Bakersfield. He and Mrs. Vincent came to Los Angeles from Canada about a month ago. With Dr. La Fetra they were arranging to make an investment when Vincent killed himself.

The funeral services will be held at the J. D. Button undertaking establishment on North Main street at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Interment will be at Evergreen.

Quick Action.

BUY A THOUSAND ACRES AND START BIG ORCHARD.

ONE of the largest real estate transactions of the month in Southern California lands was closed yesterday morning on the arrival of Alexander Parson and F. M. Smith of Rockford, Ill., at the Angelus. They concluded the purchase of 1000 acres near Lindsay from C. S. McLaury for a consideration involving approximately $175,000.

The two Illinois capitalists, the former for years in the lumber business and the latter heavily interested in real estate, came here three months ago and looked over the field of investment and decided on the purchase of the property. Yesterday they paid cash for the big acreage, which will at once be turned into an orange grove, one of the largest if not the largest in the United States. And none was ever arranged for so quickly.

Within two hours after the signing of the final papers the new owners contracted for the purchase and planting of 90,000 orange trees. Before the day was over they had a large force of men and teams at work leveling the ground and preparing it for the trees, and had contracted for the drilling of six wells which will supply water to the tract. The engines and other motive machinery were practically all arranged for before the set of sun, and Parson and Smith figured that they had concluded a good day's work when they sat down to dinner in the evening.

Trail of the Bomb.

BARE ANOTHER OF J. B.'S "JOBS."

Murderer Linked Up With the Seattle Dynamiting.

Northern Witnesses Hold Up Federal Indictments.

San Francisco Labor-Union Men Still Held.

The confidently-expected indictment by the Federal grand jury of California labor union men suspected of complicity in the dynamite conspiracies failed to materialize yesterday because of the arrival of two prominent Seattle witnesses whose testimony is regarded as essential for action. Neither Special Prosecutor Lawler nor United States District Attorney McCormack will state when they expect to conclude their labors.

The grand jury was in session for an hour and a half yesterday morning, adjourning at noon until this morning. For some reason the government officials are delaying final action, probably because of instructions from the Attorney-General. By having longer sessions the grand jury could have concluded its investigation last week. The end may come any time now, though it is possible that the true bills will be held in abeyance until the Federal grand jury at Indianapolis takes some action. It is evident that the government wishes to keep its plans absolutely secret and unusual precautions have been taken to keep news from leaking out.

O. A. Tveitmoe, Anton Johannsen, E. A. Clancy, Eric B. Morton, Paul Scharenberg of San Francisco; E. J. Hendricks, W. J. O'Leary, I. W. Cowles of this city, and J. E. Munsey, of Salt Lake City, are still under subpoena. They were not summoned before the grand jury yesterday but were told to return to the Federal building today.

G. B. Wagner of Seattle was an important witness before the grand jury yesterday morning. He owns an electrical supply store near the Lyons building in Seattle, which was dynamited presumably by J. B. McNamara in August, 1910, one month before he came here to destroy the Times Building.

ANOTHER J. B. JOB.

According to the confession of Ortie E. McManigal, which has been given in substance before the Federal grand jury, J. B. McNamara went to Seattle on a "scouting" expedition, and while there received instructions from somebody to blow up the non-union Lyons building. It is asserted that McNamara went to the store of Wagner to have a small battery repaired.

The proprietor talked with McNamara while he was fixing the battery and later positively identified the picture of J. B. McNamara when he was arrested and brought to this city charged with murder in connection with the destruction of the Times Building. Wagner would have been one of the State's witnesses in the McNamara trial to show the accused man's connection with dynamite plots. His testimony before the Federal grand jury was presumably along the line of tending to show a series of dynamite outrages carried out under the orders of "higher-ups."

The other Seattle witness who appeared here yesterday was H. W. Pohlman, walking delegate for the Structural Ironworkers' Union of that city. Before entering the grand jury room, he professed surprise at being summoned here and declared he had no knowledge of the blowing up of the Seattle building except what he had read in the papers.

SCHARENBERG UP.

Secretary Scharenberg, of the State Federation of Labor, with headquarters at San Francisco, appeared here in obedience to a subpoena. He first presented himself before Special Prosecutor Lawler without his official records. When told to return to his hotel and get them he demurred on the ground that the papers were private and could not be produced in the government's case without a court order. Lawler soon convinced him that it was advisable to obey orders. Later he returned to the Federal building with his papers, records and correspondence.

From the records and correspondence, it is expected the government will try to establish a connection between labor-union leaders and J. B. McNamara, Caplan and Schmidt upon the theory that the trio were working under orders of "higher-ups" when they plotted to dynamite the Times Building.

There are several local witnesses waiting to be interrogated. As their testimony is mainly concerning the identification of J. B. McNamara, the reason for the evidence in the government case is not explained except that it may tend to connect the murderer now in San Quentin for life with well-known San Francisco laborites who came here with James Brice, the alias adopted by McNamara upon his visit to Los Angeles prior to the blowing up of the Times Building.

CAN'T FIND 'EM.

No return has been made on a number of subpoenas sent from here by the Acting United States Marshal. George Haley, formerly walking delegate for the Piledrivers' Union of Seattle, is said to be in Canada. United States summonses are not operative there. A. E. Yoell, secretary of the Asiatic Exclusion League of which Tveitmoe is president, was expected here yesterday. If he does not appear today the United States Marshal at San Francisco will be asked to make another search for him.

Attorney Harrington, who was intercepted at Albuquerque upon a telegraphic subpoena from the local United States Marshal's office, is in the city, but has not been summoned before the grand jury as yet. He was on his way to Chicago when ordered to

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Public Service: City Hall, Courts.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Northside committee visits the Mayor to oppose new water building plans and urges City Hall at Temple block.

Dr. Frank B. Kellogg has been named by the Mayor to succeed W. G. Morton as a member of the Civil Service Commission.

By order of Judge Bordwell, Col. Robert Northam will pay his wife $125 a month temporary alimony pending the trial of her suit for divorce.

At the City Hall.

URGE HALL AT TEMPLE BLOCK.

PREFER IT TO THE NEW WATER BUILDING PROJECTED.

Northside Committee Visits Mayor to Oppose Structure at Fifth and Olive and Is Told Plans Will Not Be Interrupted—May Provide City Hall in Next Budget.

A committee from the North, Northeast and Northwest Improvement Association visited the Mayor yesterday to reinforce its written protest against the erection of the water department building at Fifth and Olive streets and its demand that the Public Service Commission be removed if it insisted on its plans for this building.

The Mayor told the committee plainly that he disagrees with it and that he believes the water building is a real necessity for the water and aqueduct departments. He declined to interfere with the project.

The committee included W. D. Gould, Kaspare Cohn, John Lopozich, Victor Ponet, Dr. C. S. James, H. C. Thompson, Philip Eichholz and M. A. Long and many arguments were presented to change the Mayor's attitude. Gould, speaking for the visitors, urged that the Temple block property, owned by the city, be improved with an adequate municipal building, as high as sixteen stories, if necessary, to house all the city's official departments, including the water, aqueduct and power. He also suggested, as an alternative, that the Public Service Commission purchase the old Bullard block and use it for its purposes, leaving the City Hall building on the Temple block for other departments. He urged this in order to concentrate all municipal and other official business according to the civic-center plans of Mulford Robinson, and approved by the Council, Chamber of Commerce and other bodies four years ago.

The Mayor answered that there is no way to provide for the improvement of the Temple block site except by the sale of the present City Hall site and the use of the proceeds with an addition at Temple block. The Mayor regards this plan as practical, but not until a new budget is made six months hence and adequate provision for a fitting building included.

NEW YEAR GIFTS.

DR. KELLOGG TO GET ONE.

Mayor Alexander will send to the Council next Tuesday his first batch of "new term" appointments. It will include one not hitherto announced, that of Dr. Frank B. Kellogg as a member of the Civil Service Commission to succeed W. Ona Morton, whose term expires next Wednesday. Dr. Kellogg is a pioneer civil service advocate, but has declined heretofore to serve on the commission.

The Mayor said yesterday that he will also send in the name of Gen. Adna R. Chaffee to succeed himself as a member of the Board of Public Works unless Gen. Chaffee should decline appointment, which the Mayor hopes he will not. The Mayor said he had not been assured that the Council would confirm Gen. Chaffee's appointment and that this portion of the action must be determined by the Council itself.

The opposition to the expected reappointment of Chaffee is led by John Topham, recently elected. Topham said yesterday that he is assured by other members that Gen. Chaffee will not be confirmed. Talks with other members show reticence to say what their attitude will be. No member is willing to say on which side the majority will lay when a vote is taken.

City Clerk Handley, City Treasurer Hance and City Tax Collector Taggart will also be renamed for their positions. Dr. L. M. Power, Health Commissioner, whose name will also be sent in, will meet with some opposition in the Council, but his confirmation is not feared. The Mayor will reappoint Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst on the Library Board if she will accept it. She has been tendered reappointment.

Tuesday also the Mayor will rename Chief Eley of the fire department and Chief Sebastian of the police department. They do not need confirmation by the Council. He does not expect to make any change at present with the office of City Prosecutor and Guy Eddie, it is believed, will remain in it.

URGING ACTION.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENT.

To set in motion with rapidity the harbor improvements that are deemed necessary for the opening of the Panama Canal a conference between the Mayor, the Harbor Commission, the Board of Public Works and the City Engineer will be held not later than next Wednesday, at which decisive action will be taken. The conference would have been arranged for this week, but for the absence of T. E. Gibbon, of the Harbor Commission, in Mexico. He is expected home Saturday.

The officials have been working on the harbor improvement plans for a year and a half, but no real scheme of improvement has been determined on. Recently the City Engineer, before his departure for Europe, advised the improvement of the Huntington fill with wooden piling. During his absence the Harbor Commission asked that this character of construction be held in abeyance until the officials have another conference. The request for suspension was made after A. P. Fleming, secretary of the Harbor Commission, had visited northern ports of the Pacific and reported in favor of concrete piling for substructural work.

The return of City Engineer Hamlin from his European trip—made at the city's expense—this week furnishes the reason for the joint conference in the hope that definite plans may be settled on and the work begun just as soon as money is available from the sale of harbor bonds. What Hamlin found out abroad he, with usual mystery, is keeping to himself, but a report of his observations is expected at the conference.

The officials realize that something must be done at once and a start made if the shipping facilities in the outer harbor are to be made attractive to the commerce that will come through the isthmian canal. The Mayor is to call the conference and his decision to do so followed a talk yesterday with Stoddard Jess of the Harbor Commission and W. M. Humphreys of the Board of Public Works.

Of course one of the things that has retarded harbor work has been the inability to sell harbor bonds. The Mayor says much of the policy of improvement will depend on the action the aqueduct syndicate takes February 1 on the final issue of water bonds. If the aqueduct finances are assured then the financial problem of the harbor will be easy and the bonds will be sold.

It is possible the improvement plans will hinge on a decision to use wooden piling or concrete. Whether Hamlin changed his mind as to wooden piling while abroad is not known, but it is certain the investigation of Fleming on concrete changed the minds of the Harbor Commission.

SALOON INCREASE?

MAYOR SAYS "NO."

"Lid tilters," as those who are striving for more "liberality" on the part of the Alexander administration during the next two years are called, have been busy with a story that soon after the new Council organizes an ordinance will be passed increasing the number of saloons from 200 to 260, though there is not likely to be any enlargement of the zone.

It is also a part of the story of the "tilters" that the Mayor has said he would approve such an ordinance if passed by the new Council.

"I will do nothing of the sort," said the Mayor yesterday. "I have heard this story of an increase of sixty saloons but it will never be done without my opposition all the way through. I stand by the present restrictions and regulations."

Members of the Council say the idea has been discussed with them but that no encouragement was given.

The Police Commission yesterday cited the proprietors of a North Main-street restaurant to show cause why the liquor permit should not be revoked for illegal selling. The Mayor says this is an evidence that the policy of the administration will not be changed in the least.

STREET NAME CHANGES.

WHY AND WHY NOT.

At the instance of I. W. Hellman and others the City Engineer recommended the change of the name of North Spring street, from Temple street to the north line of the Federal building, to Main street. By this change Spring street will end at the south line of Temple street instead of terminating in a point along the west side of Main street. The Engineer said the change would "simplify some matters."

But in reporting on the change of the name of Lee street, requested by a similar petition, the Engineer reports adversely and says: "Every change of street name involves the city in considerable expense and such change should be made only when the public interest demands it or the name to be abandoned is particularly offensive."

For the same reasons he reports against changing the name of New High street, from Temple to Alpine street, to North Spring street. The report says New High street north of Temple is practically continuous of the south portion.

City Hall Brevities.

The Mayor received the cross-town line franchise ordinance yesterday, but withheld his signature until he has time to examine all its provisions.

License Clerk Lovie yesterday issued licenses for the beginning of the new year, payable after next Monday, aggregating $89,490 income to the city. Of this, $46,797 is monthly and the remainder quarterly.

Thirty pieces of real estate assessed for the opening of Twelfth street, from Figueroa street to Sentous street, and which defaulted payment, were sold at auction yesterday by Col. Schrieber, chief assessment clerk, and brought over $16,000. Twenty-four pieces went to private individuals, the highest bid being $1097, for $13,000. The city bid in the remainder. All of the defaulted property was west of Sentous street.

At the Courthouse.

RICH IN JEWELS, CASH IS SCARCE.

COURT ORDERS HUSBAND TO PAY TEMPORARY ALIMONY.

His Income Is Estimated by Judge and Difference Is Split in Favor of Wife Who Is Suing for Divorce. She Enumerates Jewelry Given Her.

Declaring in Judge Bordwell's court yesterday that she is without means of support and that she should receive $250 a month temporary alimony pending the trial of her divorce suit, Mrs. Robert Northam was awarded $125, on the showing made by Col. Northam's attorneys that his income is less than $4000 a year. He was ordered to pay $1000 temporary attorney fees.

The legal underbrush was cleared away when the court overruled the demurrer to strike out in the complaint the charge of habitual intemperance, and sustained the demurrer as to the charge of cruelty arising from habitual intemperance, holding that cruelty would stand by its own acts.

Col. Northam was found to be worth about $200,000. In order to secure the payment of the temporary alimony, the court impounded the $110,000 mortgage on West Seventh-street property in which Col. Northam owns a $60,000 equity, and the Santa Anita ranch of ten acres, known as the home property.

Col. Northam testified that Mrs. Northam went to the ranch and had the furniture and grand piano removed when he believed that she had gone to Silver City to seek relief from asthma, with which she is afflicted. It was at that time he heard she had brought suit for divorce. As he left the stand he glanced quizzically at his wife.

Mrs. Northam testified that she is now living with her mother at No. 151½ East Twenty-fourth street and has no money to support herself. Owing to her asthmatic affliction, she finds it necessary to seek high altitudes occasionally and she has in consequence gone to Silver City, Lake Tahoe and other places. She gave the court the following list of jewelry presented to her by Col. Northam:

Diamond necklace, value $1600; two solitaire rings, $500 each; four three-stone rings, $500 each; diamond chain, $500; diamond-studded watch, $125; two diamond pins, $525; gold jewelry, $100. Other jewelry listed but not valued were an amethyst pin, plain watch and pearl pin. One or more of these articles, it was shown, had been worn by Col. Northam's first wife.

Mrs. Northam made no claim to the furniture taken, but stated that she had bought the concert grand mahogany piano out of the allowance granted her by Col. Northam. She valued it at $1250. There were also listed eight Turkish and three Indian rugs, valued at $1000, and 100 Indian baskets worth $200. Mrs. Northam did not claim them.

"She may have them," said Col. Northam. "I will make her a present of them."

He does claim the furniture and the limousine Packard, in storage. The furniture and the auto, by order of the court, are impounded pending the termination of the divorce suit, but Mrs. Northam may use the machine when she desires. There are outstanding bills to the amount of $1000 contracted by Mrs. Northam prior to the suit.

Gurney E. Newlin represents Mrs. Northam. George L. McKeeby and J. B. Redd are counsel for Col Northam.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

ESTATE LONG TIED UP.

Because a provision of her husband's will was that his business in Washington, Pa., should be conducted until the death of his wife, when his estate was to be distributed for the benefit of his children, Mrs. A. B. Caldwell has kept things intact nineteen years.

Yesterday the executors under the will, Minnie McKeever, George and A. B. Caldwell, asked the Probate Court for a final accounting of the property owned by Caldwell in Pasadena, consisting of a one-fourth interest in thirty-four lots, valued at $2500. Judge Rives continued the case one week. Mrs. Caldwell is still living and the general store in Washington is being conducted as of yore.

ORANGE MAN'S ESTATE.

NIECE NAMED ADMINISTRATRIX.

Judge Rives yesterday appointed Mrs. Lou O. Jefferis administratrix of the estate of David R. Sterling, who left property, comprising orange lands in this county, worth $150,000.

Sterling's will provided that the estate should be distributed among the heirs-at-law at the death of his wife. Both Sterling and his wife died the same day. Then Mrs. Eels, sister of Mrs. Sterling, died, and her daughter, Mrs. Jefferis, applied for letters of administration.

EXPERTS ON STAND.

UNWRITTEN RULE HOLDS.

Holding fast to the unwritten rule that a physician may not testify to things which come to him in a confidential way, as between physician and patient, medical experts called yesterday in the Purcell will contest did not have a merry time at the hands of the galaxy of legal talent.

An effort is being made to prove that Mrs. Purcell at the time she made her will, naming Charles A. Purcell, her brother-in-law as executor, was insane and had been unduly influenced. Dr. Charles L. Allen, insanity expert, and Dr. S. S. Salisbury, Mrs. Purcell's family physician, were on the stand.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

WILLS HIS DOG. The will of John Morgan Bailey was admitted to probate yesterday and one of the items devised a dog to Mrs. George W. Koutz. Bailey made his will in Salt Lake City, August 15. During the probate it was stated that the dog has no value. Mrs. Koutz also received a ring. Bailey's watch was left to Arthur McGuire. He left $2100 in cash to Mrs. Koutz, McGuire and James Neff.

ASKS JUDGMENT. The Yakima Realty and Investment Company filed suit yesterday against the All Night and Day Bank for the recovery of $16,100 deposited at the bank June 27 last. The complaint states that payment was demanded of the bank August 3 and refused. Judgment is asked for the full amount and costs.

WANTS TO DISSOLVE. The Hollywood Home Place Association filed a petition yesterday for dissolution of the corporation. A resolution was passed at a meeting of the stockholders December 27 to this effect.

CHANGE OF NAME. The retirement of G. A. Murphy from participation in the affairs of the Murphy-Johnson Company and the purchase of his interest by E. R. Fussell, has led to a petition to the court for a change of the firm name to the Johnson-Fussell Company.

TAKES HOLIDAY. Judge Monroe, who has been grinding away in the divorce court, packed his grip last evening and steamed off to San Francisco to forget for a few days the troubles of others and rest.

COMPANY WINS. Judge Monroe handed down judgment yesterday for the Los Angeles Pacific Land Company. This case was tried some time ago to quiet title to a lot in the Wilshire district. Hulda F. Schmidt asserted that the defendant had no right to the title.

INCORPORATIONS. Rosamond Antelope Valley Well Drilling Land Improvement and Navigation Company, incorporators, Harry E. White, Ira G. Gorham, A. Halden Ives, O. M. Justice, George S. Marygold, J. A. Stuckey, Robert A. Taylor; capital stock, $10,000; subscribed, $7. English Ale Brewing Association, incorporators, E. Sharkey, A. W. Atherton, Ernest Lightfoot; capital stock, $50,000; subscribed, $30. Keystone Steel and Wire Company, incorporators, P. W. Sommer, J. W. Sommer, B. L. Sommer; capital stock, $500,000.

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Everything you want to know or to tell about the great Aqueduct will be set forth in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

In the Inferior Courts.

TRANSGRESSOR'S WAY VERY HARD.

GIVER OF WORTHLESS CHECKS LANDS IN JAIL.

He Is a Deputy Sheriff of Orange County, Has Sick Wife, and Pleads With Court to Allow Him to Go Home—Sent Back to Jail, He Almost Collapses.

H. H. Gilman of Newport Beach, a deputy sheriff of Orange county, was haled before Police Judge Frederickson yesterday morning charged with having passed a bad check for $5 on the William H. Hoegee Company. The complaint was made by W. F. Orahood of that company. Gilman's preliminary examination was set for tomorrow.

His voice so choked with emotion that he could hardly talk, Gilman begged the court to release him on his own recognizance.

"My wife is home sick in bed," he said. "It was only a day or two ago that we buried one of our little babies. There is no one at home to take care of my wife or attend to the wee bit of a boy. This will just about kill my wife. If you won't take my word for it that I will return to court when wanted just call up the Sheriff of Orange county. He'll promise you I'll be on hand."

Gilman did not deny the issuing of the check, which was dated October 21, 1911. He told of others issued about that same time, which he later made good. He said his wife neglected to deposit $30 in the bank about the time he went to Salt Lake City, and that when told that his checks had been returned, he wrote to each person, saying he would make them good as fast as he could.

Gilman almost collapsed when the court sent him back to jail.

WITHOUT A LICENSE.

WOMAN CONDUCTS HOSPITAL.

Miss Grace Morton, who has a police record, was convicted before Police Judge Williams in the University Police Court yesterday of conducting a hospital at No. 1325 East Fifty-first street without a certificate from the State Board of Health. The woman was not present during the trial, neither was her attorney, Paul E. Ussher.

Miss Morton was arrested several weeks ago. Several times the case was continued. It was finally set for yesterday, and Judge Williams ordered Assistant City Prosecutor Nimmo to proceed, although defendant and attorney were absent. A jury was selected, sworn, the State's case was presented, and a call made for the defense. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

"The defendant will appear for sentence tomorrow afternoon," ordered the court.

A bench warrant will be issued if Miss Morton does not appear at that time.

Feminine Prerogative.

"I'm a good speaker, your Honor; and what is more, I've got a perfect right to orate on the street corner if I want to. This is a free country."

Thus spoke Mrs. Clara Edmondson to Police Judge Frederickson. She had been arrested by Patrolman Brown for street speaking.

"This woman was disturbing the peace at Fifth and Main streets," said Brown. "A large crowd had collected, and she refused to stop talking, so—"

"I had a right to talk," interposed Mrs. Edmondson.

"Quite right," said the judge. He dismissed the case.

They Plead Guilty.

Dan B. Cole and E. F. Brown, members of the Allso-street engine-house, arrested several days ago for stealing two cases of whisky from Haas, Baruch Company, No. 326 North Los Angeles street, pleaded guilty to petty larceny when arraigned before Police Judge Frederickson yesterday morning. They will be sentenced today. Cole had been a member of the department six months and Brown a year and a half. The men have promised to make restitution. They had been drinking.

NAME TWO COMMITTEES.

Men Who Will Represent the Chamber of Commerce at Coming Convention Are Selected.

President Slauson has appointed C. B. Boothe, W. H. Holabird, J. W. Summerfield, C. F. Rosecrans, and Henry Morris to represent the Chamber of Commerce at the Counties' Committee meeting to be held here next month. The following committee has been appointed to arrange for entertaining the delegates to the convention: Carl E. McStay, chairman; Motley H. Flint, William M. Garland, Marco H. Hellman, Fielding J. Stilson, E. A. McCarthy.

The Board of Directors have adopted resolutions favoring negotiations between the United States and Great Britain of an unlimited arbitration convention, as proposed by President Taft and also favoring the beginning by the Department of State of a revision of the existing conventions of the United States with other nations with a view to securing such unlimited treaties with all.

C. B. Boothe has returned from Chicago, where he represented the Chamber of Commerce at the National Irrigation Congress and the National Business League of America. G. G. Johnson will represent the Chamber at the annual fiesta and turkey barbecue to be held in Holtville January 1.

The firms of Edwin W. Smith & Sons and the Illinois Electric Company have been elected members of the Chamber of Commerce.

HAYWOOD'S INCENDIARY TALK.

In the light of the recent editorial declaration of the leading officials of the American Federation of Labor, the speech delivered in New York regarding the crime of the McNamara brothers by William D. Haywood, once secretary of the Western Federation of Miners, and himself tried for complicity in the murder of the former Governor of Idaho, will impress the country as a grave indiscretion, unquestionably calling for emphatic denunciation by Haywood's own colleagues in the labor movement. To stand up in public and in the name of labor to express sympathy for the men who are now in San Quentin prison for confessed crimes argues a most remarkable concept of the citizen's responsibility. At the same time it bespeaks a serious failure to realize the danger to which organized labor is at this time exposed. Haywood was acquitted of a crime that greatly shocked the country, a crime of revenge attributed at the time to the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners, then engaged in a desperate struggle for recognition. There was a similarity between that outrage and those which the McNamara brothers have confessed. Haywood's declaration regarding the men who blew up the Los Angeles Times building and the Llewellyn Iron Works tends to engender a suspicion that perhaps entire justice was not done at Boise City.

Things have come to a bad pass in this country if such a speech as the following can be uttered without instant and sweeping denunciation by organized labor:

"You cannot see the class struggle through the stained glass windows of a cathedral nor through the eyes of capitalist-made laws. Those men who were locked in the jail at Los Angeles and later went to San Quentin knew what the class struggle means. They knew, and for that reason my heart is with the McNamara boys as long as they are fighting against the capitalist."

This is little short of anarchy, pure and simple. Labor organizations cannot possibly win the respect and recognition of the people at large if they indorse such a view. It is the argument of the destroyer, the cry of the revolutionist. It is practically a declaration of war. But in war even the boldest leader must have a following. Is William D. Haywood the general of an army advancing against the written law of this land, or is he merely a brigand?

REVENUES GROWING.

Figures on the year's business in the office of Claude I. Parker, collector of internal revenue for the Los Angeles district, show a substantial increase over the past. The total receipts for 1910 amounted to $950,302.92. For 1911 they were $1,087,740.19, making an increase of $137,447.27 for the year about to close. The total receipts for December are estimated at $70,305.

COME HERE TO MARRY.

Walton G. Christian of Bakersfield and Mrs. Ella May Backant of Houston were married Tuesday evening by Dr. Warren F. Day. They will make their future home at Bakersfield.

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The Oil Industry.

MERGERS ARE RUMORED.

...on and de Sabla Said to Be in Big Deal.

...er of Banking House in ...ciation With Them.

...ews of Interest from Fields in General.

...a considerable lull in oil deal ...rmors are now coming thick ...d of the desire of eastern and ...capitalists to get hold of good ...California oil properties. In ...nnection the other day it was ...reported that Eugene de ...ond, Chas. John Barneson would ...their oil properties in the ...Maria and Midway fields and ...ion to a big eastern syndicate ...by the Boston banking house ...er, Anthony & Company.

...ney Eldridge of the Tucker-...concern was domiciled at the ...ade Hotel for several days, in ...ction with de Sabla and Barne-...of this gave rise to the report ...sale of their oil properties. ...Barneson is the controlling fac-...the Esperanza Consolidated Oil ...ny, with producing properties ...Midway and Santa Maria fields, ...de Sabla is heavily interested in ...Santa Maria field.

...was learned from an authorita-...source that the mission of Eld-...of this time is to look over the ...Maria and Midway properties, ...may recommend their purchase, ...understood he represents, or buy ...interest in the oil prop-...The parties concerned in the ...ons at the St. Francis denied ...there was any purpose to merge ...certain oil properties on the part ...Boston people, and it was even ...Eldridge's visit was in con-...with a merger of telephone ...ower companies.

...rumor in regard to the merger ...sale of oil properties, will not ...however, and is given general ...in oil circles. It is probable ...there will be an era of transfers ...leasing oil properties in which ...and English syndicates will ...The sale of the Midway prop-...of the British Consolidated Oil ...ation to the Indian and Colon-...Development Company has just ...confirmed. The latter is also an ...corporation with plenty of ...backing, and the announce-...has been made that the develop-...of the property will be push-...Mr. L. P. Guiberson will be in ...of the field operations for the ...ompany, as he was for the old, ...last two strings of tools will be ...going constantly.

Building Oil Tanks.

...Gundlach Tank Company has a ...of men at work in the Midway ...building fifty fiftybarrel tanks ...for 100-barrel tanks for the ...Trading and Oil Company. The ...is preparing to take care of its ...and production in that field. Five ...smaller tanks can be built in a ...

Three Going at Once.

...new oil gushers were spouting al-...at a bunch in the Midway field ...week. These were the Hale-Mc-...well on section 5, 32-23, the Mays ...on section 28, 31-23 and the Eagle ...Oil Company's well located in ...of Fellows. In each case the ...is having high above the top of ...derrick.

Notes and Personals.

...Beagstuck of the office force ...Keta Trading and Oil Company ...Coalinga field, spent Christmas ...his family in San Francisco.

...and Mrs. J. Brown of the Stand-...Oil lease, Coalinga field, spent ...Christmas with friends and relatives ...Bakersfield. They have returned to ...Coalinga.

...H. Salisbury, prominently ...identified with the Coalinga oil field, ...left for San Francisco last week to ...spend the holidays with his family, ...who are residing there.

...Silas of the California Oil ...Fields, Limited, at Coalinga, left for ...San Francisco one day last week to eat Christ-...mas dinner with friends.

...W. Dewhig of the California Oil-...fields, Limited, at Coalinga, went to ...San Francisco the other day where he ...intends to spend the holidays with ...friends.

...Armstrong, an employee of the ...Standard Oil Company on section 28, ...Coalinga field, is spending the holidays ...with friends at Hanford.

...F. Harris of the Kern Trading ...and Oil Company in the Coalinga field ...left for San Francisco the day before ...Christmas, where he will spend the ...holidays.

...Thomas Hayes of the Burmah Oil ...Company, in this country, on a leave ...of absence, spent Christmas at Berke-...ley with his children. His wife re-...cently died.

...Jack Devaney, formerly a driller in ...the Coalinga field, now putting down a ...test well near Mendota, will spend ...the holidays at Coalinga and San ...Francisco.

...Superintendent Kreiss of the Great ...Western Consolidated Oil Company of ...Coalinga has arrived in camp from ...Texas.

...George D. Roberts, an oil operator ...of the Coalinga field, has returned ...from a business trip to San Francisco.

NOTES HE IS ALIVE.

Indiana Man, Declared Legally Dead, Tells Mother In Letter That He Is in Business Here.

...David Conwell, who disap-...peared from his home in Conners-...ville, Ind., nine years ago, and was ...declared legally dead, following the ...settlement of his father's estate, short-...ly afterwards, is well and is in business ...in Los Angeles, is the substance of a ...letter received by his mother, Mrs. ...Conwell of La Porte, Ind.

...Conwell's name is not in the city di-...rectory.

...In the letter to his mother Conwell ...made no reference to his mysterious ...disappearance, save that he said was ...sorry he was well and was in business ...here.

What do you suppose is California's best crop? The Midwinter Number of The Times will tell all about it.

INVESTIGATE A MYSTERY.

Deputy Sheriffs Seek Solution of Binding and Gagging of Man at Lawndale—Expensive Bindings Are Used.

Confronted by two men, each with a loaded revolver in his hand, Joseph Ivey was marched from the station at Lawndale at 6:45 o'clock Tuesday evening to a point a mile distant. There he was found nearly an hour and a half later, gagged with a silk muffler and two linen handkerchiefs.

To the man who picked him up and untied him he said he had been robbed of $40 by his captors, of whom the only description he had was that they were the usual "tall and short" man.

Deputy Sheriffs Cochran, Lord and Larimer made an extended search of the country, but could get no trace of the robbers. Ivey, who lives at Virginia street and Avenue 2, Lawndale, could offer no suggestion. He said he had been paid on Saturday and had carried $50 of his money ever since.

The use of expensive rope, fine linen handkerchiefs and a silk muffler in tying and gagging Ivey puzzles the Sheriff's deputies. They cannot understand why any one should have used so much rope when five feet would have been enough, or why a silk muffler worth several dollars should have been used as well as the two handkerchiefs, especially as the laundry mark on the latter would be a clew to the persons who assaulted Ivey.

That it might have been another motive than robbery is indicated by the fact that Ivey was found with two handkerchiefs stuffed down his throat and tied so that he could not move, and would almost certainly have died before morning. All the laundries were visited by deputy sheriffs yesterday in a search for clews.

Ivey was severely handled and suffered yesterday from the treatment.

Traffic Record.

ANOTHER FERRY FOR BAY CITIES.

SOUTHERN PACIFC CONTRACTS FOR THIRD THIS YEAR.

Will Be Called the Alameda and Is Being Built at the Shipyards at Oakland—This Boat Will Be Slightly Smaller Than the Berkeley and Faster.

The Southern Pacific Railroad has contracted for another ferry steamer for San Francisco Bay, making three to be built within a year. The boat will be christened the Alameda, making three in the Southern Pacific fleet named after cities in that country. The Alameda is a part of the provision being made to take care of the increased traffic anticipated during the Panama-Pacific Exposition to be held in San Francisco in 1915.

The Alameda is being built at the company's shipyards at Oakland. The hull is to be of steel and also the superstructure frame. The vessel is to be slightly smaller than the steamer Berkeley, but it will have greater speed.

Another characteristic of the Alameda will be two independent compound engines of 1250 horse power each, located on each side of the boat, one engine for each paddle wheel. The thoroughfare on the main deck will be located in the center of the boat. There will be seating capacity for 2052 persons. All of the interior will be in walnut and teakwood. There will be four eighteen-foot lifeboats, constructed of galvanized iron. The restaurant and crew's quarters will be situated below the main deck. Every part will be of the most modern construction.

Another Contract Let.

Another contract has been let on the San Diego and Arizona Railroad, which is being built by the Spreckels interests. The western terminus is San Diego and the line is to be built east through Mexico and the Imperial Valley of California to a connection with one of the existing trunk lines, probably the Southern Pacific. The road is built and in operation from San Diego to Seeley. The contract just let is for the grading of the section between Seeley and Dixie, which will take the road to within four miles of Coyote Wells.

Tell About High Line.

The Salt Lake Railroad has issued an illustrated pamphlet describing the recently completed High Line, which was built through Meadow Wash Valley for the purpose of insuring the track against damage by floods, such as the one two years ago that put the railroad out of service for six months.

Curve is Completed.

The laying of the Pacific Electric curve from Main street east into Sixth street will be completed today. Thereafter operation of the El Molino cars will be by way of this curve to the Arcade station instead of the Pacific Electric station.

Hearing is Set.

The new inquiry begun by the State Board of Railroad Commissioners relative to rates in the Imperial Valley will be heard in Los Angeles January 24 in the Supreme Court room.

MONEY STAYS IN BOTTLE.

Inventor Is Unable to Get It Out Or to Get More In, and Brings Suit Against Brothers With Capital.

H. C. Degner prevailed upon Carroll Allen and B. B. Allen in August, 1910, to put $500 in a bottle to prevent it from being filled. They put $250 into the contrivance in the neck of the bottle—a contrivance that Degner invented. Since then, Degner says in a suit filed in the justice's court yesterday, they have refused to put any more into the invention. So he asks for $250 and for $25 more for waking models.

Degner declares that he had invented a device that when put into a bottle prevented it from being refilled, and he needed capital to take out a patent. In answer to an advertisement, the Allens, he says, appeared and agreed to give him $250 when he applied for a patent, $250 in forty-five days more, and within six months after getting the patent, $2500. There was a possibility that the Allens might want to sell their interest, and part of the agreement was that if they got $75,000 they were to give Degner $25,000 instead of $2500.

But they never paid even the second $250, Degner says, though he has asked them for it often.

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Military.

MAYOR'S CLERK HAS A RECORD.

RUNS OFFICE ACCORDING TO ARMY SCHEDULE.

Executive of Oklahoma City Has Private Secretary Who Saw Active Service in Spanish-American and Filipino Wars, During Which He Attracted Attention.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) Dec. 24.—Some of the military tactics he learned while a private and later an officer in the United States army are applied by William L. Bradley, secretary to Mayor White M. Grant of Oklahoma City. This may account for the dispatch of business with so much regularity and so much precision. Bradley, bearing the marks of two wounds received while fighting in the Philippines, a medal for bravery and other records of note, is in command of the Mayor's office. Mayor Grant usually doesn't need to be told what to do. Neither does Commissioner Hampton, who occupies an adjoining room, but if they are at a loss to know how to do it. Bradley comes in on parade and solves every problem neatly and with dispatch.

Bradley is every inch the military man. He talks in proverbs, parables and conventional military English. He is a Mississippian by birth. Patriotism seized him in 1898, and he enlisted in the Twenty-third United States Infantry. In April of that year he was transferred to the Second Mississippi Infantry (volunteers,) as sergeant of Company A. He served in the United States until November and was then detached as assistant to Capt. W. B. Homer of the Sixth Artillery as assistant mustering out officer of the volunteer troops. He was discharged in January, 1899, and in February re-enlisted with the Thirty-ninth Infantry.

GRANTED A MEDAL.

Bradley was granted a medal by Congress for an act of bravery while serving in Southern Luzon, as a result of which he also was promoted to second lieutenant. After his promotion he served in various capacities in Manila, being at different times Collector of the Port, Collector of Internal Revenue and Registration Officer.

In March, 1901, Bradley procured a leave of absence and returned to the United States, reporting at the expiration of the leave to the commanding officer at the Presidio, San Francisco. In two weeks he resigned.

Bradley was wounded twice while in the Philippines, once in the leg at San Mateo during the engagement in which Gen. Lawton was killed, and the other time while fighting under Col. Bullard near San Pablo.

RESCUES SPANIARDS.

"One of the most interesting incidents of my career," says Bradley, "was the rescuing of 217 Spanish officers and soldiers who had been imprisoned in Lipa for over a year. We had gone up the Pasig River from Manila, and were looking into conditions in the territory surrounding Laguna de Bay. We heard of this prison at Lipa, forty-two miles distant in the interior, and of the men imprisoned there. Col. Bullard and I, with a small detachment of men set out for Lipa.

"What we found struck every man to the heart with pity. Those Spanish soldiers had existed for more than a year on scant provisions and some of them were so emaciated they could not walk. We bore about sixty of them back to the village in bull carts, put them on our transports at San Pedro on the bay and bore them back with us to Manila down the Pasig River."

Recent.

MITCHELVILLE IS ON THE MAP.

AND MIKE IS UNDISPUTED RULER THERE.

New Town in Panama Is Named After a California Man Who Will Probably be Made Alcalde for Life After the Burg in the Canal Strip Is Incorporated.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

COLON (R. P.,) Dec. 14.—In addition to being practically monarch of all he surveys, Mike Mitchell of Mitchelville, Panama, and erstwhile of California, occupies a unique position upon the canal zone. Mitchell is the only man employed on the big ditch who has a town named after him.

Of Irish extraction, Mitchell was born in the Golden State, and spent most of his life there. His earlier days were eventful and at times made Mr. Mitchell conspicuous, but his fame did not burst into full flower until his advent here.

Mitchelville is upon the new line of the Panama Railroad, and was so named because Mike was the boss in the labor camp planted upon the site of the present city. Rumor has it that chance alone did not dictate the naming of Mitchelville, that Mike simply said his camp was to be known by his name, and woe unto him who suggested another. The camp was named Mitchelville.

Mike not only tamed the primeval wilderness; he also tamed the wild spirits sent to him to command in the region thereabout. There are no municipal ordinances in Mitchelville. They are not necessary. Mike is the court of last resort and his decisions are supreme. However, he combines the power of a czar with a big heart that knows how to mingle mercy with punishment. From 6 o'clock in the morning, when Mr. Mitchell takes his coffee in the Hotel Manana, until he retires in the government palace at 8 p.m., his word is law. Upon the outer walls of the municipal palace are no adornments, save a single sign with the world "explosives."

The patriarchal government exercised in Mitchelville several times recently has come in for official commendation, and so popular is the Californian that he bids fair to become perpetual alcalde, when the town is incorporated, with the prospect that his sons and his sons' sons will succeed him.

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[Le Temps:] Describing a visit paid to the customs laboratory, a correspondent quotes the manager as saying that one enterprising innovator, in an endeavor to avoid the duty on alcohol, had embodied it in soap, of which 70 per cent. was pure spirit.

Then there is the imitation baby carried by a nurse, who by a judicious squeeze produces melancholy wails. A hearse escorted by four undertaker's men and followed by a weeping family conveyed to the cemetery a coffin sumptuously draped in black velvet, which contained 180 liters of alcohol.

One day a cart drawn by three horses rumbled into Paris under the noses of our customs officers. Apparently the cart was laden with square blocks of stone. In reality every stone was hollow and contained alcohol.

First-class railway carriages sometimes conceal lace, chronometers and expensive cigars. Motor cars have false bottoms, logs of wood are hollowed out. The informant went on:

"One day the people of a little village near the Belgian frontier were waiting for the Bishop of Chimay, who was crossing to conduct a confirmation. All the villagers in their best clothes lined the road. Presently the carriage comes in sight, crosses the frontier, and the bishop, carrying the pastrol cross very gravely, stretches out a hand to bless the custom house officers, who bow their heads to receive it. Then the carriage rolls on.

"Twenty minutes later there comes a second carriage, much less elaborately filled up than the first, containing a second Bishop of Chimay. Suspicion fell on the ecclesiastic, and he was requested to leave the vehicle without dealy, and his carriage was ransacked from end to end. Of course nothing was found. Not a stain on the character of the bishop, who naturally is the real one.

"You remember how Henri Rochefort's paper, La Lanterne, when placed under an interdict under the empire, was smuggled in from Belgium concealed inside busts representing Napoleon III." Going on to speak of the various adulterations practiced, the manager concluded:

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WHAT NEXT?

If by some fluke Los Angeles voters should adopt the proposed initiative ordinance forbidding the eating of meat before 11 o'clock in the morning and providing that the stranger within our gates shall not dine after 7:30 o'clock in the evening, what will come next? Who will start a petition for a municipal law prohibiting the use of onions as food within the city limits? Some of our swell apartment hotels have adopted this prohibition for their own confines—and it also applies to boiled cabbage.

IN ONE THING LACKING.

The United States government has been so busily absorbed in the development of the country that many other and humane things have been overlooked. One of these is the health of the people—not the health of farm animals. Dr. Wiley says it is safer to be a hog than a human under the present laws. As soon as the Agricultural Department learns of the outbreak of a disease among hogs in any part of the country, a specialist is at once put upon the case until a cure is effected. On the other hand a poor woman dying of tuberculosis finds no relief from an appeal to the national government, because no provisions have been made for such cases.

THE SPIRIT OF UNREST.

There is one war in Tripoli, another in Persia, a revolution in China, another revolution just ended in Mexico. Six nations are directly involved in these events, besides which there are constant rumblings of friction between Germany and England, while Austria, Spain, Portugal and even little Belgium are in a state of unrest, and afraid something will happen. How much the nations of the world resemble the seismic conditions of the earth! A casual governmental utterance, and there is a flash of war. A slip in the earth, and a quake follows that carries death and desolation. Evidently we are all of the earth, earthy.

ROASTING THE COURTS.

Senator La Follette is on the rampage over the country and is roasting the Supreme Court. He has a poor opinion of courts generally and takes pains to burn them up with his rhetoric whenever he gets a chance. Haywood and Sam Gompers share Mr. La Follette's opinion of our judiciary, and so does every anarchist orator along the river front. Such spouters encourage lawlessness and crime. An agitator could not be engaged in a worse business than encouraging disrespect for the courts and inciting already inflamed and prejudiced men to disregard their authority and scorn their rulings. Demagogues like La Follette have sown and are sowing the wind. What will the whirlwind be and who shall reap it? The harvest has already come to some unfortunate victims.

THE TIE THAT BINDS.

Count Boni finds it easier to get into trouble than to get out. For him the Gould millions had the incubus of a wife to whom he was wedded with the rites of the Catholic Church. Now the millions are gone, and the wife is gone; but the marriage tie is for him as firmly knotted as on the day of the wedding. He has done everything he could devise to harass his former wife because she not only left him, but also took her millions with her; but now he finds that the marriage tie as performed by the Catholic Church means something, and that the Pope serves notice on the world that so sacred an obligation may not be so easily put on and off as this gay spendthrift believes should be his privilege. The lesson taught by the Pope in this case is a good one and may have a beneficial influence upon the parties to some of the international weddings that have for their initiative millions on one side and a title on the other.

THE CLOSED SHOP.

A notable argument against the closed shop was made by Rev. Dr. David J. Burrell of New York, in a sermon recently delivered.

Dr. Burrell, who is of national reputation, declared his belief in the right of labor to organize for self-protection, and his sympathy with workingmen's legitimate efforts to better their condition. The Times is one with Dr. Burrell in this respect and has expressed this view for a score of years.

The speaker declared regretfully that organized labor had made three great mistakes, namely: The choice of bad leaders, the resort to wrongful methods in industrial warfare, and adherence to an impossible proposition, the closed shop. Said the speaker: "Call it the Golden Rule or the square deal, the man who professes to ignore it is held universally to be lacking in the first principle of morality and justice. But how can the adherent of the closed shop be an advocate of the Golden Rule? How can he demand the right to moor and the just rewards of his labor when he denies the same rights to his brother?

"Theoretically, politically and morally," concluded the speaker, "the closed shop is out of line with the spirit of the age."

That is why almost every strike fails which has the closed shop for its main contention; and decent union-labor men are realising this truth more and more, from day to day. Denial of the opportunity to work is not equality under the law, the equality upon which our nation is founded.

MEXICO.

The fate of Mexico is so interwoven in web and woof with the peace and prosperity of our own country, particularly along the border, that events in the sister republic are almost domestic to us. All sensible, right-minded American people want Mexico to enjoy peace within her own borders and prosperity for all her people, and that is all such Americans do want. We wish no square foot of Mexican soil, and are far from having any illusions as to the pleasures or profits of any directorate or suzerainty over that country. This last remark is made, not from the American point of view, but from that of some Mexicans. We know our country is casting no covetous sheeps' eyes towards our dark-eyed sister to the south. But the sister is occasionally given to a little coyness and flirtation, as if some one were "taking notice" of her.

Now the natural interest felt by all intelligent Americans as to peace and prosperity in Mexico naturally led us to take close observation of what was taking place there when Francisco Madero raised the standard of revolt, the final result of which was the doubtful act of driving Gen. Diaz from the seat of power and from his native country, to seek refuge beyond seas. Intelligent Americans in large numbers disapproved of the raising of that standard of revolt, and had misgivings as to the intentions, as to the temperament and ability of the revolutionary leader.

But the results have radically altered the case, and have made it necessary to take a new point of view on our part. Madero is now President of the republic and Gen. Diaz is an exile from his native land. Our government is naturally so jealous of its reputation for absence of intention to unnecessarily interfere with the internal affairs of Mexico that the proper thing for us to do (and that is what has been done,) is to accept the situation in good faith.

Francisco I. Madero is now President of the Republic of Mexico, and his administration has passed through about all the transitional-period features. With the surrender of the recalcitrant leader, Gen. Bernardo Reyes, the Madero government seems to be both de jure and de facto. It will be so regarded upon the American side of the boundary line, and Americans will be scrupulous in their recognition of this fact. We sincerely hope that this is a situation that will be accepted by all the Mexican people, and we are sure that it will be by all unselfish, intelligent and patriotic Americans.

To recognize the existing conditions, to submit their wills to these conditions on the part of the people of Mexico, will mean, if the new President proves equal to the task he has in a way imposed upon himself, the inauguration of an era of continued peace, and through peace, a continuation of the era of prosperity that marked practically the whole time of President Diaz's administration. Peace and prosperity for Mexico should be what all Mexicans desire, these conditions are what all on this side of the line desire, and there is no separating of the two conditions. Peace means prosperity, and war means desolation and distress in any case, supremely so in the case of civil war.

There are few Mexicans living at this time old enough to remember the horrible devastation and distress that overspread their then unhappy country in the days of frequent revolutions and perpetual internal war. But all the people of the republic, who are old enough to reflect, cannot and should not forget the comparative prosperity they enjoyed through peace under the long, firm and statesmanlike administration of President Diaz.

The people of Mexico, in direct proportion to their intelligence and patriotism, will now give Mr. Madero full opportunity "to make good" as President of the republic. So far as his administration has gone (which, to be sure, is not far,) he has not shown himself a failure. It should be the earnest aspiration of all his people that he may prove himself altogether worthy, and, as he becomes more accustomed to the difficult duties of the executive office, to be able to prove himself more and more worthy.

The hand of Mexicans raised against the President of the country, even for slight mistakes, or for anything less than the gravest maladministration of office, is not the hand of the patriot, but of the traitor to his own country.

Americans hope most earnestly that the heart of every Mexican will beat warmly with the impulses of pure patriotism and that Mr. Madero's term in office will prove one of justice, of undisturbed peacefulness, and of great and permanent prosperity to all the people of the sister republic.

The prevailing liberal and just sentiment, "give President Madero a chance," is a good sign.

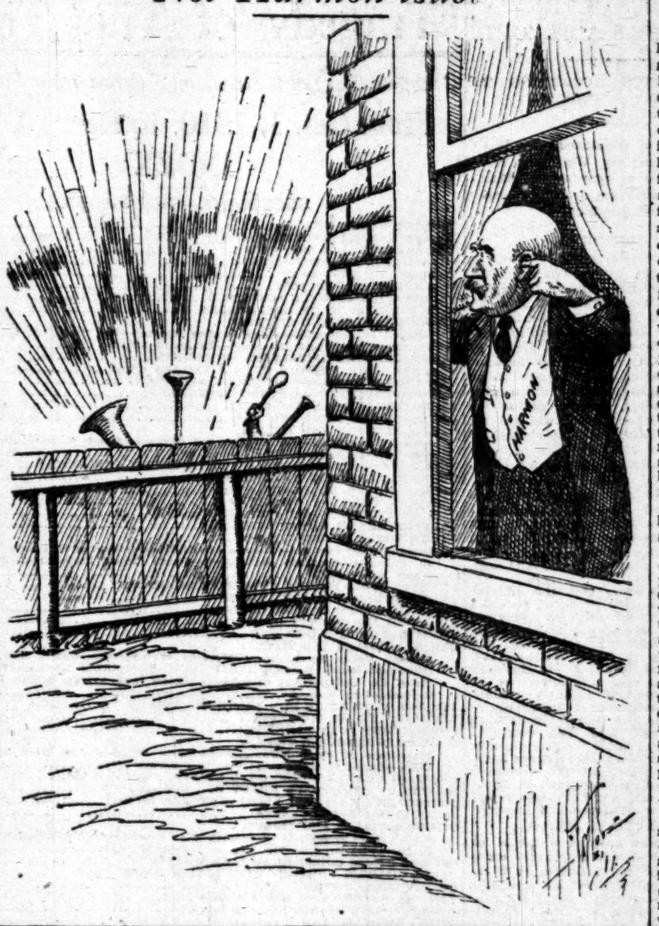
Another Good Sign.

A very favorable condition, indeed, and one of high consequence to Mexico, is the fact that several of the foremost men of the late Diaz administration are (as The Times learns by direct, private advices from the City of Mexico,) exhibiting their good faith and patriotism in a strong light by showing themselves ready to stand behind the Madero administration in its efforts to pacify and properly govern the country. These men, among whom may be named ex-Secretary of Foreign Relations Creel, ex-Finance Minister Limantour, Senor Don Joaquin Casasus, and many others of the same class and standing in the Mexican Republic, have unselfishly put behind them the sore fact that they were overthrown, along with their great chief, Porfirio Diaz, by the recent revolution, led by Madero, and are nobly rising to the patriotic height which inspires them to come to the support of an adverse element in the politics and government of their country, rather than to see their native land made the scene of further revolution, devastation, disorder and suffering.

We shall miss that humorous publication, the Congressional Record, during the recess. We while away many an idle hour reading the "applause," "cries of go on, go on," "loud and long continued applause in the galleries which the Speaker was unable to quell," stuff.

Recent newspaper pictures of W. Morgan Shuster show that he still has his hair.

Not Harmon-ious.



A SNARL FROM SANDY AGUE.

Sandy Ague is snarling and frothing at the mouth with a fury of uncomplimentary adjectives concerning San Pedro. And all because the Los Angeles Chamber of existing Commerce requested the San Diego Chamber of nascent Commerce to indorse a petition to Congress, asking for the fortification of what San Diego calls "that peaceful and shallow eddy, generally referred to as the inner harbor of San Pedro."

Sandy Ague is opposed to any fortifications, except such as may protect the institution at Point Loma from the guns of a hostile fleet. Sandy Ague prays, as did the Yankee deacon, who offered his petition to the Throne of Grace, to save "me and my wife, my son, John, and his wife, us four and no more." It even scorns the kindly suggestion of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce that a government hospital might, with advantage, be erected on Coronado beach. It is immune in its scorning, for surely it needs a hospital, where the disease of hostis humanis generis can be treated.

Sandy Ague declares that its foreign commerce exceeds that of Los Angeles, because only coastwise vessels are content to "churn mud" and "scratch the paint off their bottoms" by rounding the breakwater at San Pedro. Sandy Ague characterizes the request of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce for fortifications as "pyramidal impertinence" and it denounces the recommendations of government engineers in favor of such fortifications as "the utterances of unfought war experts," and as "malicious in word and spirit, as well as false and grossly inaccurate."

Sandy Ague resents the suggestion that nature has made it safe from foreign invasion, because if a foreign fleet should succeed in passing or silencing its fortifications, where would the officers and men obtain the water with which to quench their thirst and boil their rice and tea?

But really it is unneighborly for it to object so vigorously, so irrationally, and we suggest so futilely, to our having a few guns at San Pedro to guard the commerce and the wealth of the Angel City from foreign aggression. Surely it cannot hope to elevate its inconsequence to the skies by dragging Los Angeles down. The Times recommends it to reform its manners, and transform itself from a knocker into a booster of Southern California.

THE ALASKAN ARGONAUTS.

Gold was the lure that drew tens of thousands of men to California in '49, and the spring of '50. They were men of all vocations. Very few had been miners. Skilled mechanics, farmers, merchants, clerks, lawyers, doctors, bankers, speculators, and here and there a preacher, made up the army of Argonauts who rounded Cape Horn, or who crossed the isthmus, or who came on horseback, or in prairie schooners, or on foot plodded across prairies and deserts under the throbbing light to reach the new El Dorado.

It required courage, and enterprise and several hundred dollars in cash to make the trip, and it was the brightest, and bravest, and most enterprising of the land who left their household goods behind them and journeyed to the far Pacific.

It did not take those who came to seek fortune in the placers and gulches and river beds long to ascertain that the territory, which had slept for centuries under the manana rule of a few thousand Spaniards, was as rich in soil and timber as it was in gold; that there was wealth to be gained by pursuing agriculture, and manufacturing, and commerce, and that it was not necessary to import flour, or salt meats, or potatoes, or lumber, or dried fruits.

The pioneers sent for their wives and children. Cities sprang into being, as if by magic. Cattle and sheep ranges were turned into fields and orchards, the praises of the climate were sounded throughout the world, schools were established, and the land of gold became the land of Heart's Desire, to which hundreds of thousands journeyed to find homes, until today, when five millions of prosperous people dwell between Puget Sound and the Mexican border.

The history of the land south of British Columbia is about to be repeated in the country which has been practically, rather than truthfully, described as "the grim and grizzly North."

In despite of unwise, mistaken and retarding legislation, Alaska is about to have its innings. The bugaboo of conservation of coal and timber and ocean frontage has been banished from government policies by one wise sentence of President Taft, who said that he could see no good reason for pursuing toward Alaska any different policy with respect to government lands there than that which had existed for the greater part of a century, and under which the great West had been developed and populated.

The possibilities of agriculture, and stock raising, and lumbering, and coal mining and fishing in Alaska have, at last, been hammered into the consciousness of the American people, in despite of Pinchot and his subsidized press bureau. That Territory offers as inviting a field for enterprise and development as ever tempted human ambition and cupidity. As is aptly and tersely stated by the Portland Oregonian: "The shortness of the summer is compensated for by the length of the summer days, which makes the aggregate of sunshine in the year probably as great as in more southern climes. Enough has been done in the way of experiment to prove the fertility of the soil and that fruit, vegetables and hay mature there. The grassy valleys of Western Alaska can feed great herds of cattle. Alaska is capable of supporting in comfort a denser population than Sweden, Norway, Lapland and Finland, which are in the same latitude, and in addition to agriculture and cattle-growing, which flourish in those countries, has many resources which they do not possess."

With a railroad to tap the Matanuska coal fields and the fertile region of the Copper and Tanana River basins, population will pour in, and it will not be long before the North Star will gleam as a forty-ninth planet upon our national banner. A bill to provide for the construction by the government of such a railroad has been introduced in the House of Representatives by Congressman Sulzer, who is a Democratic leader there.

More power to him, and if he shall succeed in having the measure passed, his political sins, which were as scarlet, shall become white as snow.

UNCLE WALT.

The Poet Philosopher.

This country holds the murder record, may hold it to the end of time; the nation's history is checkered with everything in deadly crime. Our murderers are all acquitted if they have money by the peck; and if a hempen noose is fitted about some slayer's swanlike neck upon the gallows where the sawyers have left a hole for him to drop, it means he couldn't hire the lawyers who best know how to stall and yawp. A man may spend long years in prison for forging a five dollar check; the lowly bigamist gets his'n, the firebug gets it in the neck. The cops pursue the idle vagrant and soak him on his funnybone; and in the jailyard, large and fragrant, you see the plain drunk breaking stone. But he who shoots his fellow creature, and sends him to the great beyond, becomes the daily's scare head feature, is lionized, while out on bond. His trial is like an entertainment; he's freed, when lawyers cease to rage; he never new what fear or strain meant, and now he elevates the stage.

WALT MASON.

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Chorus-Girl Repartee.

[Puck:] Trixie: Oh, you're not such a much!

Zaza: No? I don't see any Pittsburgh millionaire's picture on your bureau, either!

David Graham Phillips appears to be getting all of his rejected manuscripts published, now that he is dead.

AN INTERNATIONAL INQUIRY INTO THE COST OF LIVING.

[New York Evening Post:] It is to be hoped that the Chamber of Commerce will give its emphatic approval to the establishment of an international commission on the cost of living, upon the initiative of the United States. The stupendous difficulty and the enormous importance of the inquiry alike make the co-operation of the leading nations of the world essential to its successful prosecution; and it was a most happy inspiration that led Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale to propose the scheme, and to sound prominent economists in this country and Europe, as to the desirability of such a plan. His inquiries have met with the most cordial response on all sides. The feeling is everywhere manifest that the economic disturbance produced by the world-wide rise of prices in recent years, and the distinct possibility of further experiences of the same kind, make the undertaking of a truly comprehensive and searching inquiry into all phases of the cost-of-living question a matter of cardinal importance to every industrial nation at the present time. Some look forward to remedial governmental measures as a possible or probable outcome of the inquiry; but, irrespective of any such prospect, it is felt that a really thoroughgoing research into the facts will be sure to prove of the highest practical importance, as well as of great scientific value.

The mere ascertainment of the extent of the rise of prices which has taken place, and its character, will be an undertaking of prodigious difficulty and of very high importance. To get at the nature and the seriousness of such increase as has taken place in the cost of living will require not only a vast amount of minute inquiry, but also genuine sagacity and judgment. What is wanted is something more than mechanical averages; and even for the getting of such averages in a proper way a great deal of skill, as well as labor, is required. Only the conclusions of a body composed of the ablest experts, basing their results upon ample and fully analyzed material, can be of real value.

Of even more acute interest and probably of more practical effect would be the commission's inquiry into causes. First and foremost stands the question of the influence of the vast increase in the world's stock of gold, and the correlative phenomena relating on the one hand to the world's monetary and credit arrangements and on the other to the increasing volume of production and of business. But it is not to be supposed that when the international commission once got to work upon its great problem, it would confine itself to phenomena expressly connected with the question of the recent rise in prices. In a number of directions the conditions of the past few years have centered attention upon questions which are not in any way new, but which have acquired a new intensity and importance under the pressure of the cost-of-living agitation. The influence of protective tariffs, the part played by the arrangements of middlemen, and by the profits of retailers—these things may not have undergone any particular change, but their share in the determination of prices has assumed a new prominence in the public eye. With German cities undertaking, upon a considerable scale, the functions of the food-merchant, and with sporadic experiments of the same kind going on in this country, an inquiry into the possibilities of lowering retail prices by co-operative expedients and otherwise might well form an important chapter in the commission's labors.

Possibilities of a more ambitious nature are suggested in the preliminary sketch of the commission's contemplated work. It will be expected to give consideration to "the problem of preventing changes in the purchasing power of the monetary unit, as, for instance, through monetary or banking legislation." That it will be able to accomplish anything in this direction seems to us highly doubtful; but that is certainly no reason for refraining from the attempt. The subject is of such vast moment that any real illumination of it must be regarded as justifying all the labor and expense that may be necessary to secure it. While the gold standard, and that freedom of banking arrangements based upon it which now prevails, is in all probability the best thing available and will long continue so, yet there is not the same reason for complacency in regard to it that there was a dozen years ago.

We have seen regrettable and even sinister phenomena arising from the instability of prices; and it is not impossible that future developments in gold production may produce disturbances more serious than anything we have seen. Both with reference to the past and present and with regard to the possibilities of the future, the concentration of the best economic thought of the world on this question is most sincerely to be desired. Taking the inquiry as a whole, we feel sure that the United States by initiating it will do a great and lasting service to the world, and will be readily followed by the leading European nations.

Teheran a Modern Place.

[London Chronicle:] Teheran, to which the Russian troops are now marching, has more than doubled its population (nearly one-fourth million,) during the last fifty years. There is very little left of the spirit of Haroun al Raschid except the surrounding mud villages and the pits that dip down to the underground watercourses. Civilization, due mainly to British influence, has thrown its spell over the ancient city; and so we have up-to-date telegraphy, telephony, gas, electricity and tram cars. But the finest development of the Spirit of the Age is to be found in the exodus to the giant mountains nearer to the Caspian. There, as at Simla, fashion and wealth own magnificent houses, and live in a beautifully dry and cool climate. The Shah sets the example, for there are at least half a dozen royal palaces in or near Teheran where his Majesty may take his seasonal pleasure.

Didn't Think the Snake Dose Would Fit.

[The Ram's Horn:] "Now, Nora," said the departing physician to the Irish girl who was nursing a bad case of fever, "if the patient sees snakes again, give him a dose of this medicine. I will be in at 6."

The hour for his return arrived. The physician once more visited the sick patient and found him raving. He had been so, said the nurse, for hours.

"And did you give him the medicine?" inquired the puzzled doctor.

Nora shook her head.

"But didn't I tell you to give it to him if he saw snakes again?" demanded the physician.

"But he didn't say he saw snakes this toime, doctor," replied the nurse, confidently. "He said he saw red, white and blue turkeys wid straw hats on!"

Pen Points: By the Staff

Aviator Fowler has reached New Orleans—by rail.

Still quarreling about how the Maine was blown up. Oh, just leave it to Billy Bryan.

Seeing how soon the Reyes rebellion was done for, the wonder is what it was started for.

Main street sign: "Half stews, 35 cents." No wonder the town voted against prohibition three to one.

The poor man has his chance after all. The cable rates have been reduced to $1 for twenty words.

Have you ever noticed that when you run a minute late to the corner waiting for your street car, it is invariably on time?

The country is full of local talent willing to be "mentioned" in connection with the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench.

In the Carnegie list of twenty of the greatest men, we note the name of "Wilson." No wonder Senator Lorimer is jealous.

And so Admiral George Dewey has celebrated his seventy-fourth birthday. Some Spanish are willing to swear he looks like sixty.

The only difference between a "Progressive" Republican or Democrat and the old kind is that the progressives want more and bid higher.

Interviews with actors playing in Los Angeles this week indicate that they are in favor of the recall. It is about the only class that is so minded.

Just to show that competition has been restored among the oil folks, the price of gasoline has advanced. However, the trust is officially dissolved.

Wonder if the ultimate consumer will be compelled to settle for the attorneys' fees to be paid by the Chicago bad boys. Shouldn't be a bit surprised.

This is the week when the clever young wife who knows how to make a little go far affords the neighbors an opportunity to ridicule the handiwork of her spendthrift husband.

Just to show our visitors from the East that we have no ill-feeling, California is giving them just now a taste of the real East weather. But there is no danger of snow.

The habit of Woodrow Wilson in sending out bulletins would seem to indicate that he is following the example of "Tom Reed" and thinks himself the Agricultural Department.

A Texas youth will attempt to push a wheelbarrow all the way from Texas to New York. But how he would be asked to carry a few buckets of water to help mother with the washing.

A learned judge in Seattle has decided that a dog has a right to bite anybody who steps on its tail. But how about that opinion affect the dog that has no tail? There are such dogs, you know.

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Old Dock Wiley has officially announced the ingredients that must go into a genuine mince pie. All others will be considered not up to the government standard. The list excludes several things that we have used to think necessary.

Looking into history we note the appearance of the McNamara, Merrill, Ringling and Cheseybie brothers in the variegated lot. Not to overlook the Heinze and Gold Dust Twins, Romulus and Remus, Castor and Pollux and Cain and Abel.

Persia, the land of Cyrus, is evidently being laid low. All that now stands between it and the loss of its northern provinces to the exigencies of English Liberal politics will dictate how far England will go in Asia go in making a semi-detached, double-riveted ownership.

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Would soon be gone from the world's gay place,
Oh, how patient and tender and true you would be.
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If you only knew that a cheery word,
Would lift some one's burden for a mile,
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If you only knew that the love you give,
Would fill some one's life with sunshine,
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And these are the treasures that gold may not buy,
That live in the heart and can never die,
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ADA B. CHRISTY.

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The Stage.

MUSIC IN PUCCINI PIECE.

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Bells, Glockenspiel and Regular Orchestra Complement of "The Girl of the West," Savage Production.

BRIAN JOHNSON.

To achieve the desired effect in orchestration of "The Girl of the West," it has been necessary several entirely unique instruments. Among these are the piano with felt hammers turn certain strings which hit bars of tempered steel and produce the chord of C, and this chord in turn is used with the theme sung by the tenor, a wonderful effect, especially at the end of the first act. The instrument is back of the scenes.

The new instrument is the celesta, an instrument of beautiful tone, played with leather-covered hammers and frequently used by Puccini in connection with the harps. The other is an extra large glockenspiel, built of nickle tubes which give a great effect in the orchestra. The third, like a little Indian

Mlle. Palerma,
Who is at Pantages this week.

tambourine (really a special tambura) are also used in order to secure the effect in the opening of the Indian music of the Indian scenes and also in the reference to Japanese half-world women.

Orpheum's New Year bill, opening matinee, will be one of the most attractive and hilarious ever presented in that house of entertainment. One of the strongest comedy acts on the bill, Topping it come Emma Ray, famed for her "A Hot Old Time," who is now in vaudeville in this, her own act on the stage. They have a scream in one scene, "The Bandmaster." Also comes Lillian Shaw and a company in "Mayme," showing one phase of entertainment may be found in the mysteries of a Pullman car, the scene is laid, and in which Miss Shaw's sister—and she has a sister—has a "big" feature. Three others complete the bill contains Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lloyd in a melange of country wonders, and Les Gallaierre and her trained French ventriloquist dog. The acts remaining from this week include the Six Bracks, James Diamond and Clara Nelson, and Brown, Harris and Brown. There will be special music fit for the coming season.

The Lyceum for its New Year's attraction, opening Sunday matinee, will offer for the first time here, "The Rosary," E. E. Rose's drama founded on an emblem of purity and appealing in its human interest. The central character is a priest, but the subject is handled in a new way.

The Orpheum Road Show opened in San Francisco on Christmas eve. It is headed by the Eight Palace Girls of London, dancers; Mlle. Simone de Beryl, a poseur of pronounced talent and beauty; the fine sketch, "Honor Among Thieves"; Ray Samuels, "The Blue Streak of Ragtime"; Mack and Orth, comedians, and Loughlin's dog act.

"The Sho-Gun" will be the offering at the Grand Operahouse beginning with the matinee Sunday. This offering is perhaps the most pretentious undertaking that Ferris Hartman will make during the entire season. Aside from the fact that "The Sho-Gun" is a musical comedy requiring a big cast, costly costumes and special scenic effects, the royalty is very large. Never before has "The Sho-Gun" been presented anywhere except in combination houses. Scenery and costumes have been brought to Los Angeles from New York and the Hartman production will be on a par with a regular road attraction. "The Sho-Gun" will call for the entire strength of the Hartman company and will test the musical ability of every one in the cast. Mr. Hartman will play the role of the trust-maker who journeys to Japan in search of gold and titles, and Miss Myrtle Dingwall will play Princess Hunnibun, a dainty Japanese role in which she should excel. "The Sho-Gun" is by George Ade and Gustave Luders.

As the headliner at the Adolphus this week the offering is the Orpheus Quartette, in a repertoire of classical and ragtime selections. The quartette have a repertoire of unusual strength and merit and the harmony is excellent.

The Adolphus Farce Comedy Stock Company offer "Nellie's Christmas." This week's offering is a slight deviation from the regular in that it is not wholly farcical in its theme. It is really a comedy-drama with nearly seven-eighths drama and one-eighth comedy. It is a beautiful sketch and appropriate for the Yuletide season. Dick Cummings is supported by Katherine Merley, Stella Adams, Maxie Mitchell, James Dillon, Jap Rentfrow and Otto Pack.

Hall and Wright, in a sister act of singing and dancing, are very good and were the recipients of several encores yesterday. The Musical Coppelias in their antics are amusing. One pleasing feature of this team is their dress, which is very appropriate.

Le Roy Brothers, in barrel contortions and an exposition of Roman ring work, have an act of considerable merit. The member of the team who does the barrel work seems to be made of rubber, and went through some amazing stunts. The other member of the team who performs on the Roman rings showed a few new tricks in trapeze work.

The Adolphus orchestra, with J. D. Bryson, conductor and the Adolphuscope complete an excellent bill.

Sunday afternoon the Burbank company will present a revival of "The Man of the Hour."

The cast that will be seen will find Forrest Stanley in the role of the young Mayor Alwyn Bennett, who refuses to be the tool of political bosses; James Corrigan in his characterization of the political boss, Horrigan; David M. Hartford as the Irish ward politician, Phelan; Charles Giblyn, in the role of the street railway owner and financier, Charles Wainwright, and Florence Stone as Dallas Wainwright.

The new bill for the opening of the new year at the Empress will be made up of eight new acts, all of attractive quality.

For the headline feature will come Ed Bimberg and his Telephone Girls, who have a bright musical comedy offering, while the second feature will be found in Luigi Dell 'Oro with a musical act.

Another feature of the new bill will be the rural comedy, "The Man Who Knew," which will be presented by La Verne Barber, a former Angeleno, and his company of players. Others who will contribute are Kennedy and Williams in "Pianofunology;" Bernard and Arnold, Mondane Phillips, Burges and Clara—and the new comedy motion pictures.

The Mountain Ash Male Chorus will be heard at the Auditorium Friday night, December 29, as the third event of the first series of the Philharmonic course, and the seat sale is on this morning. Special rates will be made to choirs, musical clubs and special church parties, who are interested in ensemble singing.

At the Belasco Theater, "The Aviator" continues to break speed records in the laugh-producing line and the farce stands well to break some attendance records before the week is over.

The sale of seats for the engagement of Anna Held will open at the Mason box office this morning. Miss

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At $8.00 Instead of $10.50—6x7-foot comforters, filled with fine quality down and covered with best grade of sateen—stitched first and then filled.

At $3.75—6x7-foot comforters, filled with best grade of cotton, carded in one sheet and covered with fine quality silkoline.

At $4.00—6x7-foot comforters, filled with one sheet of fine white wool, cross-carded; covered with fine quality silkoline.

$50 to $60 Oriental Rugs $25

Splendid assortment of runners ranging from 2 ft. 10 to 3 ft 6 inches wide and 6 to 11 ft. long, in deep rich colorings, now $25 each. Their equals are seldom found priced less than $50 or $60.

(Third Floor, rear)

Corset Sale Continued

Still a splendid assortment in the large sizes and in the smallest sizes—many $5 to $10 values now $2.50, simply because the makers wanted them out of the way before their stock-rooms are needed for the spring models.

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Events in Local Society

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Miss Neva Hoy,

Whose engagement to Bernice George Richardson is announced today.

MISS NEVA LOUISE HOY of No. 2007 East Second street, who came to Los Angeles a year ago with her mother and brother, is to be married to Bernice George Richardson, a leading young business man of Salt Lake City, in Christ Episcopal Church at noon, Tuesday.

The announcement that this beautiful and popular young woman will be a bride of the new year is a surprise to many members of the younger set in this city. During the short year that Miss Hoy has lived here she has made many friends and acquaintances, who will be exceedingly sorry that she is to leave Los Angeles.

The charming bride-to-be is the daughter of the late Valentine S. Hoy, who was one of the best known cattlemen of Routt county, Colo., twenty years ago. Clair Vose, her cousin, was an athlete at Stanford three years ago, when he rowed in the varsity crew.

The young man who will claim Miss Hoy as his bride came to this city last Sunday. The families of the young people have been close friends for many years. Miss Hoy and Mr. Richardson were playmates in their early school days.

The Rev. Baker P. Lee is to conduct the marriage ceremony. Only the immediate relatives of Miss Hoy will attend the wedding. After the ceremony the young couple will go to San Diego, and after passing a few days in the southern city, will go directly to Salt Lake City, where they will live.

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World's Tour.

Miss Katherine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson, Jr., of West Twenty-eighth street, will leave this city January 8 for San Francisco, where, in company with her grandmother, Mrs. Johnson and her aunts, Mrs. Charles Dick and Miss Sada Johnson, she will sail on the 10th, inst., for a tour of the world.

Before her departure, another aunt, Mrs. Charles Modini-Wood of St. James Park, will give a dinner in her honor. This will take place January 6, and on Thursday next Miss Helen Taggart will be a theater hostess, entertaining the traveler.

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Daughter Honored.

Mrs. George J. Consigny of No. 732 Rampart street was hostess last evening at an informal Christmas party given in honor of her daughter, Miss Venita Consigny. The home was aglow with Christmas berries and poinsettias. Invitations were accepted by Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. George Burkhart, Mrs. Margaret Thies, Miss Marjorie Burbank, Miss Bessie McGonigil, Miss Ethel Getz, Miss Karolyn Nichols, Miss Maude Fuller, Miss Jessminn Peddle, Miss Dorothy Feron, Miss Carol Somerville, Miss Della Bateman, Miss Julia Goerch, Miss Blanche Davis, Leo Smith, William Green, Warren Bovard, Guy Irwin, Gilbert Brown, Asa Call, Mr. Webb, Edward Allen, Harry Curtis, Lovell Swisher, Mr. Fisher, Harry Conwell, Harry McQuigg, Donald Wallace, Lyman Ellis, and Robert Jessup.

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Christmas Visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Janss have been spending the Christmas holidays in San Francisco, with Mrs. Janss's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cluff.

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Coming Affair.

Miss Ula May Hammers of No. 2700 La Salle avenue will be hostess, Friday, at a pleasant affair complimenting Mrs. Albert Henry Winters.

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Recent Wedding.

Of interest to friends in this city is news of the marriage of S. Quay Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Will Smith of Highland Park, to Miss Clara Maurer, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Maurer of Ontario. The service was performed by the Rev. Gushel at the Episcopal Church of Ontario, Saturday afternoon. The bride was attired in a white broadcloth suit with a large black hat. She carried a shower of orchids and lily of the valley.

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Mrs. Forve Hostess.

A fashionable luncheon was presided over yesterday by Mrs. Philip Forve, who entertained about fifty guests at her home, No. 427 Westlake avenue. Quantities of Christmas foliage and bells beautified the residence, where cards were enjoyed following the dainty repast.

Mrs. Forve will entertain with another luncheon January 2, when she will entertain fifty guests.

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At Their Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stimson of the Hotel Alexandria left Tuesday for their country place in the Eagle Rock Valley. They were accompanied by a party of friends who will be New Year guests.

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Dancing Party.

About 100 guests were present last evening at the dancing party given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Doheny at their home, No. 8 Chester place. Edward L. Doheny, Jr., who is home from Stanford for the holidays, was the honored one of the pleasant affair.

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En Route.

Mr. and Mrs. William Irving Hollingsworth of No. 1103 South Lake street, left yesterday morning for New York, where they will spend five or six weeks.

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From Kansas City.

Mrs. George E. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson, Miss Mildred French and Miss Mary Ferguson, formerly of Kansas City, are in their new home at No. 337 Vista del Mar, Hollywood.

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Another Wedding.

Miss Mary D. Linehan of this city, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Linehan of Orena, Idaho, and Grover C. Knight of Oregon, were married at the rectory of St. Vibiana's cathedral December 24 Rt. Rev. Patrick Harnett, officiating. The bride was gowned in a handsome traveling suit of blue broadcloth. After a tour of the coast cities, Mr. and Mrs. Knight will go to Sheaville, Or., where they will make their future home.

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Merry Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Taylor of No. 401 West Fifty-fifth street entertained a number of f. nds with a Christmas tree and luncheon Monday. Gifts were distributed to the guests, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dakan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shugart, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Gilman, Mrs. Walter J. Seymour, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Misses Irene and Inez Gilman, Sarah Shugart, Earl S. Taylor, Charles A. Taylor, and Thad Seymour.

PERSONALS.

R. D. Bulnker registered at the Van Nuys yesterday from The Hague. He has been staying in Southern California three months, devoting all his time to the study of fig culture in and around Fresno. He has also been studying dates, and has purchased considerable acreage at Merced, where he is going into the business of raising and packing these fruits. He was a nurseryman and landscape gardener in Holland.

Francis L. Lowndes and wife of London are passing a few days at the Alexandria. Lowndes is a man of leisure of London, having no connections with business of any kind, he says. His wife, under her maiden name, Marie Adelaide Belloc, has published the "Philosophy of a Marquise," "The Heart of Penelope," "Studies in Wives," "The Pulse of Life" and a number of other books which have a wide circulation in English countries.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armitage of Vancouver are guests at the Van Nuys. Armitage is in the financial brokerage business, and is touring the Southwest on pleasure, having arrived here from Santa Barbara, and being on the way to Del Monte. Mr. and Mrs. John M. LeMoyne of the same city are also guests at the hotel, and are on a pleasure trip.

Among the guests at the Westminster are J. D. McGillivray, a real estate operator of Winnipeg; J. B. Monohan, an official of the Southern Pacific, with headquarters in San Francisco; Edward C. Ernst, a grain broker of Chicago, and H. R. Williams and J. R. Burkhart, members of a commission house of Seattle.

Among the Lankershim guests are W. D. Watkins, a manufacturer of Kalamazoo; S. Landswick, a San Diego insurance operator, and Robert Morriss Rabb, a lecturer of Atlantic City.

J. V. Loriot of Toronto arrived at the Seminole Hotel yesterday, and is here for the winter months. He is interested in the fruit packing business and has come here to study the various systems of handling deciduous fruits, having a large packing plant near Toronto. L. M. Levitt of New York is also at the hotel. He is an importer of foreign advertising novelties.

P. F. Thompson, his wife and daughter, are passing a few days at the Angelus. They have come here for the winter months from their home at South Orange, N. J. Thompson is a retired Wall-street operator. S. E. Busser, in charge of the amusement bureau of the Santa Fe, is registered at the hotel from San Francisco. He has just completed the series of attractions which will be featured over the Santa Fe circuit this winter.

B. A. Barrett, assistant superintendent of the Portland Street Railway Company, is staying at the Hollenbeck. The list of guests also includes the names of E. J. Gibson, division superintendent of the Santa Fe at Winslow, who is accompanied by his assistant, L. A. Mullarky; A. R. Bernard, cashier of one of the banks of Bakersfield; C. B. Johnson, superintendent of the Calexico Water Company, and H. H. McGuire, superintendent of the Sunset Oil Company, at Taft.

Mrs. Eva Cramer Bresler, widow of a Detroit millionaire automobile manufacturer, and an ardent sportswoman, who passed the winter of last year in Southern California, arrived at the Van Nuys for a brief sojourn previous to going to Coronado for the remainder of the season.

A. D. Plughoff, Pacific Coast agent for the Overland Automobile Company, is registered at the Hayward from San Francisco while here on a business trip. Other guests at the hotel are Lee Moore, a mining superintendent of El Paso; S. C. Tuck, interested in mining properties at Ray, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. George H. Champ of Logan, Utah, where Champ is in the general mercantile business.

Dr. E. B. Merchant, a practicing physician of Portland; Charles J. Costillo, a tobacco manufacturer of Tampa, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Williams of London, Ont., where Williams is a barrister, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Longley, society people of Chicago, are guests at the Alexandria Hotel.

Angry Britishers.

HAVING FINE FUN WITH CENSOR.

CYNICAL APPOINTMENT OF ONE OF WORST OFFENDERS.

Stirs Up a Row that Will Go on for Some Time—William Archer's Outburst of Wrath—Mrs. Pat Campbell's Pretty Way Makes Trouble.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—It is many a day since anything like the storm of angry recrimination, provoked by the appointment of Charles Brookfield to be joint Licenser of Plays with G. A. Redford, has been felt. I happen to have been in the center of the cyclone, and I can assure you it was no joking matter. There are few men who, in a quiet sort of way, have contrived to make more enemies for themselves than Brookfield. He has a particularly bitter tongue, and no consideration for the feelings either of friend or enemy prevents him from indulging his powers of sarcasm. As a club man he is appreciated because he can tell a good story with effect. I am bound to add that his "good stories" are not always of the drawing-room order. Dramatically his chief qualifications for honor conferred upon him are several adaptations from the French, all chiefly conspicuous for the marked dexterity which he has shown of sailing as near the wind as anyone well could without coming to absolute disaster.

Further, he has openly avowed his contempt for the modern school of serious dramatists. His views in this respect display an extraordinary ignorance, or a total disregard, of the actual condition of things theatrical. Brookfield, too, is rather an invalid and virtually incapable of much in the shape of hard work. He is, on the other hand, friendly with Earl Spencer, the Lord Chamberlain, of whom he speaks familiarly as "Bobby" and with Sir Douglas Dawson, an important official in St. James's palace. I understand that it was the latter who persuaded the King, just before he started for India, to endorse the appointment of Brookfield. Of course the managers are, nearly to a man, ready to welcome him doubtless because they imagine that a man who has shown such laxity in his own writings will scarcely be likely to interfere greatly with their freedom of action. Yet they may find themselves mistaken. "When the Devil was sick"—well, you know the old saying, and should Brookfield be confirmed in the appointment it is as likely as not that he will become as rigid a moralist and unyielding a puritan as George Colman, the younger himself.

Meanwhile, Redford, the present licenser, although boiling over with wrath, maintains a discreet silence, so far, at any rate, as the public is concerned. I have, however, had several intimate conversations with him and I am bound to say he has my entire sympathy. Naturally he expected that the office would be a life one and that he was secured a comfortable little income of $5000 to $6000 a year until the day of his death. Now he learns that that income is to be reduced to $2000, which sum is also to be paid annually to Brookfield. Redford, naturally, is furious at the idea of being bracketed with Brookfield; that, after seventeen years' service, this intruder, without any knowledge or experience should be made his partner and in all respects his equal appears to him a most monstrous piece of jobbery and of nepotism. There is still the possibility, however, that in view of the wide and intense display of feeling which the Lord Chamberlain's action has provoked, Brookfield may find himself dispossessed of his position.

William Archer, the famous critic, usually so mild-mannered, makes the most pointed and entertaining of the outbursts against the appointment. He writes:

"You ask me how I view the Brookfield appointment? I view it as a final proof of the fact—already too amply demonstrated—that the Lord Chamberlain's department is hopelessly devoid of any understanding of sympathy for the unfortunate art which an obsolete statute consigned, nearly two centuries ago, to its tender mercies.

"That the adapter of 'Dear Old Charlie'—that glorification of cynical adultery—should be selected as the guardian of public morals is a stroke of exquisite humor, quite the most delicious in the history of an office always prolific of absurdities.

"But if that were all we could afford to laugh without too much bitterness. Our laughter, however, turns to something very like exasperation and dispair when we find the autocrat-elect celebrating his appointment by a public proclamation of his ignorant scorn for the modern English drama.

"Even in England, I cannot believe that a man who can talk of 'The dramatic-artistic barrenness of the last twenty years' will be suffered to make the next twenty years dramatically and artistically barren. All the world knows that the past twenty years have produced a dramatic literature which places us, for the first time for two centuries, fairly on a level in this respect with the other great nations of Europe.

"All the world knows it, except that tragi-comic trio, Earl Spencer, Mr. Redford and Mrs. Brookfield."

As I fully expected would be the case, there has been a good deal of trouble over rehearsals of "Bella Donna" at the St. James's. It is always pretty certain that when Mrs. Patrick Campbell comes in at the door peace will fly out of the window. There are few people who can say disagreeable things with such an air of gentle simplicity as she. You might fancy by her demeanor that her one aim in life was to study the feelings of those around her; yet if there is the slightest suspicion of a tender corn about she may be trusted ruthlessly to trample upon it. At the St. James's she has fallen foul of Gerald Lawrence, who was to have played the part of Baroudi in J. B. Fagan's adaptation of Robert Hichens's novel. To such an extent did she exercise her powers of exasperation that in the end poor Lawrence had to throw up the part. The circumstance has elicited from Sir George Alexander, lessee of the St. James's, a public expression of regret, so that Mrs. Pat can be under no uncertainty as to how he regards her behavior, or rather misbehavior. Lawrence has been replaced by Charles Bryant, the brother of Mary Grey, whom Fagan was at one time anxious to engage for the role of Bella Donna herself. Eventually he had to be content with offering her a minor character. I believe Alexander has warned Mrs. Pat that however she may rule the roost in regard to others, she had best understand at once that it is a case of "hands off" in relation to himself.

Some weeks ago I referred to a movement started for the benefit of Charles Dickens's grand-daughters. The centenary of the famous English novelist takes place on February 7, 1912, and the occasion seemed in every way favorable for raising a sum for rescuing those members of the third generation who—it is lamentable to have to confess it—are in a position not very far removed from absolute want. In the first case careful enquiries were made regarding the measure of support which the scheme might be expected to receive. The immediate result was a wholly unlooked for douche of cold water. City millionaires declared they would do little or nothing in the matter, while the highest civic authority in London predicted that the project could only meet with failure. The position thus encountered promptly put an end to further proceedings. Subsequently it was discovered that, among the less affluent, although fairly well-to-do classes, there existed an exceedingly strong feeling in favor of such a movement. Encouraged by this response, the proprietors of The Daily Telegraph determined to go on. Next week, accordingly, they will begin what there is every reason to hope will prove a highly successful Dickens boom; the public will be asked to subscribe to a fund to relieve the pressing needs of his grandchildren. Mrs. Perugini and Henry Dickens, K. C., daughter and son of the great humorist, will, it appears, dissociate themselves entirely from the affair; they are both tolerably well off. By way of adding to the fund it has been decided to give a monster entertainment for which Oswald Stoll has generously given the use of the Coliseum. It will take place on the evening of Sunday, January 7. Most of the leading actors and actresses have already promised their co-operation. E. S. Willard will emerge from his retirement to play Tom Pinch, while artists like Sir John Hare, Sir Squire Bancroft, Mrs. Kendal and Sir George Alexander, to mention only a few names, will contribute in one way or another. The programme is to be purely Dickens. There will be dramatized scenes from some of his most popular novels, there will be recitations, while several of the songs to be found in the pages of his books are to be set to music by leading English composers, and sung by distinguished vocalists. The manuscript of a little play written by Dickens himself, has been found in the archives of the Punch office, and a performance of that will probably be a feature of the evening. The great attraction, however, is to be the living presentment of Dickens himself in his study at Gad's Hill, followed by a series of tableaux depicting well-known incidents and characters drawn from his novels. The only dissentients so far are Tree and Arthur Bourchier, who had intended to give a dramatic performance at His Majesty's in support of the scheme. But, learning that Stoll had anticipated their purpose, they have now withdrawn altogether.

I hear that there is a prospect of Sir Charles Wyndham coming back to the London stage before very long. True, his health has not been of the best lately; nevertheless he sees him everywhere, and, outwardly at any rate, there is no abatement of his marvelous energy. I stated a fortnight ago that Julia Neilson and Fred Terry had determined on a revival of "Sweet Nell of Old Drury" at the New Theater of which they hold a lease from Wyndham, extending up to the end of July. It is practically certain, however, that Fred Terry will not be able to act for six months at least, the doctor even hints at a twelve-month. Overtures, consequently, have been made to Wydham to step in at the New Theater for a time, and he is now considering the idea.

The dinner given to George Edwardes last Sunday evening at the Savoy, in celebration of his twenty-five years' management of the Gaiety, proved a distinct success. The menu was excellent, the speeches pleasantly brief and the incidental music of the best. Tree was in the chair and proposed the health of the guest of the evening. He was perhaps scarcely in his happiest vein at points; I do not for an instant believe that he intended to be ungracious, but certainly one or two of his allusions might have been construed in a rather unkindly sense. I cannot conceive anything more modest, more genial or in better taste than Edwardes's reply. The speaker made no attemp at oratory; he just said exactly the right thing in the right place and impressed everyone by his perfect sincerity. In proposing the health of Tree, Alexander said only a few words, but they were to the point. For myself, one of the most delightful moments of the evening was when the veteran singer, Sir Charles Santley, now 77 years old, stood up and sang to us three of his most favorite songs, "The Rosary," "To Anthea," and "Simon the Cellarer." The incident carried me back more years than I care to remember when, in my youth, I went to hear Santley sing at Covent Garden in "The Magic Flute," and "The Water Carrier." What an artist he was then! What an artist he remains today even at his advanced age!"

PROMOTING INDIAN ART.

Movement in Oklahoma to Exhibit Products of Tribes and Encourage Arts and Crafts.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) Dec. 24.—The establishment in Oklahoma of a museum of art wherein to exhibit the works of the masters among the fifty Indian tribes of the State and for the display of curios and handiwork of the members of these tribes, is being advocated by Miss Ada M. Robinson, member of the Art Study Club of Oklahoma City. Her effort is to revive a sentiment that was started two years ago and died for want of a leader to push it.

"Other countries spend vast sums for the discovery and preservation of the arts of primitive peoples for the historical, educational and artistic value such evidences have," says Miss Robinson. "Why should Oklahoma ignore all her splendid opportunities to obtain a collection of the natives' arts and crafts that will be of international interest and educational worth? The regime of the older Indian is passing, and time will increase the importance and value of such works which we may obtain now.

"It is obvious that a State museum should include only that which is best and most representative of Indian arts. The government should set aside a fund for this purpose, thus insuring a comprehensive collection of documents, curios and arts of a people closely allied with a State history, and make the first step toward the recognition of State art.

"To create an interest in this movement the Oklahoma Art League might hold an exhibit of Indian arts and crafts, paintings by Indians and of Indians. In fact, such an exhibit was planned, but for lack of enthusiasm and appreciation of its importance the impulse lies dormant.

"Perhaps this will be a propitious time to revive interest in such an exhibit and propose measures for a permanent home of Indian art."

French Revenue from Bicycles.

Consul Louis Goldschmidt writes from Nantes that the French government derives quite a revenue from the tax on bicycles, every one of which must bear a new plate furnished at the beginning of each year by the government. They cost 3 francs ($0.58) for ordinary cycles and 6 francs for motorcycles. The number of bicycles taxed increased from 975,878 in 1900 to 1,653,769 in 1905, to 2,471,040 in 1907, and to 2,697,406 in 1910, while the motorcycles increased from 11,252 in 1900 to 29,054 in 1905, decreasing last year to 27,071.

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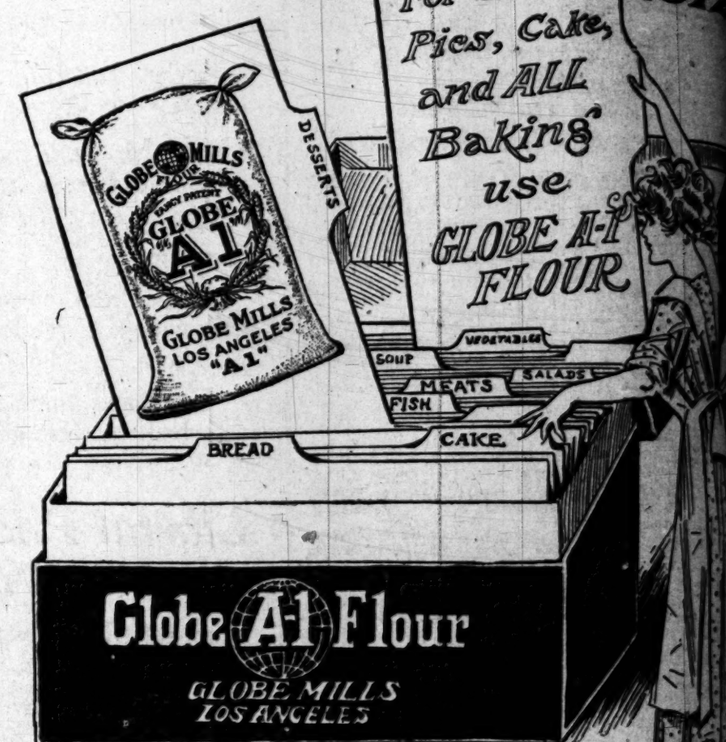

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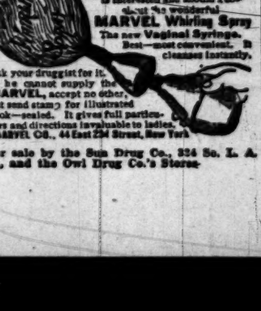

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who is building a home Wilshire district, had something "different" wanted for the dining- asked me to go with her on her search.

ideas and the point was question. When she idea, I thought I knew to take her. In my peking around into I had found that one of dishes, which I had lost, had moved, was in a most place, although not on it is a place where plas- wanted in a satisfactory makes a difference in this perhaps than in any other, the line and curve is prop- I have seen the entire ex- of the Venus de Milo that of the most ador- figures, with her features heavenly calm—to that of image—merely by a smear had plastered on in the In this, my favorite no such smears occur, who makes the molds care. Good taste is also work; and in originality is em- instance, there is a long which are combined several pieces. Now I am the reason for taking my to new Wilshire home to I wished to have made for dining-room mantel, classic piece and I knew must have be executed to

ding tapestry for the walls dining-room. A woodland scene in the design of and she wished some- over the mantel which would ing. It so happened that had just been completed which It was a classic panel Diana the huntress and Finished in shades of color to those in the tapestry this will be charming. be framed in dark oak. Had something new and made for her purpose, it been done here, for the work is wide and extensive, the shop itself is not We each purchased for one of our favorite classical had decided to make to our annual Christmas gift. a small Venus de Milo— perfectly executed piece—and I had of the same Venus, in hanging against the wall. always feel as though I near me that face, and I think that with the face expression is brought out fully than in the entire fig- myself, I would rather have piece well brought out in to have something less executed in the finest of ma-

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Warm At Bridge.

Many where many pretty pieces work are to be found I saw and best shaped "bridge that I have ever seen. These folded and were shaped to and brought down to a point and at each side of the most coquetish fashion. made from chinchilla wool, at the edges with a pretty lavender. I thought that with possibly a flock of intervals upon the border— brighter tint as an edging most dainty; and it seems lady who makes these jack- any color or combination to order. She does them quickly, too. Could anything nicer than such a jacket, evenings or mornings? No card to bridge would wish to merely because there to be danger of freezing to

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of the big stores which has every week, is planning all such affairs, this week not only a Friday sale inventory sale and added to perhaps I would better say from that—the usual Fri- will be cut right in two. if a remnant of silk is the Friday sale—"half it is usually marked, it will to one-half of that one- special Friday. "Better

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for Less.

of the big house furnishing is a sale of graniteware low prices. Articles us- for from 75 cents to $1 are to 35 cents, and those much 50 cents. There! I am tell- And it is forbidden—but I selling where the prices are; not spoil the game.

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Broken Hearts.

are of the tender, melan- and are casting sheep's shading; be warned! It eyes. If is for the little and are aching over the be- resolved 44 Christmas and so soon!

boy's set of wooden sol- because the Cap'n has and cannot command as could. Jack's Noah's Ark principal animals headless, looks far more like hang- than like the beginning of as it looked on Christmas Beth's beautiful French pot, with the teapot hav- lids off and the sixth plate never listen right out of its Why, things happen to even Mother is the beautifully-carved which was broken in the Easter. Then there which the jeweler said not mend. Draw close and tell you a secret. All these whole and almost as Yes, truly. And so complete piece of bric-a-brac delight dropped and shivered into a score of bits. All can be mended by a wonderful new cement which has recently been placed on the market. It is as clear as glass and makes no mark where it adheres. It is next to no trouble to apply it and it will "stick" any kind of material.

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Furs for Less.

Warned by the warmth of the early season, and by the fact that it will soon be summer again in California, one of the best stores is holding a sale of furs at a great reduction. The head of this firm is considered one of the best judges of fur in the city, and the name of the house is such—for reliability—that to buy there is to insure yourself against any but the highest quality. The selection, too, is wide and varied. There is no doubt that furs will be popular for a number of seasons, and the styles are so individual that they will last.

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A Criticism.

While the one-sided effect is still popular and is, in many instances, jaunty and becoming, I think it is sometimes carried too far. I noticed a girl on Broadway who had her one-sided jabot carried up onto her shoulder and, in fact, projecting upon her back. It really gave her a comical look, and especially as the white of the frills was in strong contrast to the dark, woolen material of her suit.

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And Another.

Again have I been led to wish that people, and particularly some people, would ask their friends to help them in the selection of their dress. I met a woman who was facing the sun and squinting, and it is not an exaggeration to say that her face looked exactly like that of one of the little monkeys in the cage down on Mercantile Place. Well, maybe, as you say, she could not help this; but she had on a hat with a lot of parrot's wings massed upon the very front of it and it was pulled so far down over her forehead that nothing showed save the frown upon her brow. The entire effect was as though, at last, the parrots had the best of it and were sadly harrowing the monkey, whose face was scowling beneath their winged attack.

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Fashion's Details.

Bracelets are more popular than ever, it being the correct caper just now to wear several narrow bands.

The fur bonnet remains popular and is trimmed with feathers of garlands of dainty silk-and-gold flowers.

Waists now have sleeves of regulation cut, considerably wider than in recent fashions, and set in at the arm size.

Heavy pile fabrics show no falling off in popularity, and they are much in evidence among tailored gowns as well as suits.

A new idea is the use of terry cloth for suits, as well as its frequent employment for the revers and cuffs of velvet models.

It is truly a season of fur—this warm, luxurious trimming appears upon dresses, hats and coats more lavishly than ever.

The vogue for fur is strongly evidenced in the evening coats and fancy wraps seen at restaurants, theaters and social functions.

CHARITY THE GAINER.

Elks Unique Campaign, Concluding with Jinks, Raises Large Fund for a Good Cause.

With 1000 votes behind at noon yesterday, William Salter, representing the people's party in the Elks' charity campaign, was elected Monarch of the Glen over Charles Van Pelp and Ed Chase, last night at a banquet of the Elks in their clubrooms, which was attended by 300 members of the order.

Long before the voting was over it was evident that the charity fund this year would be larger by several thousand dollars than ever before in the history of the order.

Until the last few minutes of voting it looked as if Van Pelp, who represented the interests, would be elected to the high office. While Chase, who represented the suffragists, was making a hard fight it was generally conceded that he had lost, and the interest centered on the other two candidates.

Exalted Ruler John F. Howard presided at the banquet. There was no formal programme, it being generally understood that the spread was for the purpose of getting the most enthusiastic supporters of the three candidates together at the finish.

The final vote gave Salter 16,703, Van Pelp 16,969, and Chase 10,000 votes.

Salter was crowned Monarch of the Glen by Howard, the coronation address being delivered by Edward A. Regan, the successful candidate's campaign manager.

Following the ceremony the members of the lodge enjoyed an entertaining vaudeville programme.

GIFTS FOR POOR CHILDREN.

Sunday-school of Christ Episcopal Church Gives Splendid Musical Programme and Invites Guests.

One of the most delightful entertainments of the holiday season was that given last night at Christ Episcopal Church, Twelfth and Flower streets. On Christmas Eve the Junior Choir of the church gave a special musical programme and all the children brought gifts and laid them on the altar for distribution to less fortunate children.

Last night the guests were taken to the church in bodies from the Lark Ellen Home for boys, the Belle White Home for Children, and from the neighborhood of the Castelaar-street school—about 400 of them in all. The Sunday-school room was handsomely decorated and there was an enormous Christmas tree, laden with hundreds of toys and useful gifts for the children.

For their entertainment the choir presented Nevin's cantata of "The Adoration," with Miss Alexia Wieber as soloist and a chorus of fifty voices, which proved a great delight to the children. Following this, Santa Claus distributed the gifts, and both the recipients and those who contributed them had a joyous time.

MOOTED PURE MILK QUESTION.

President of United Milk Producers' Association Replies to Statement of the Milk Commission.

G. A. Cherry, president of the United Milk Producers' Association, yesterday made reply to the appeal of the certified milk commission, in which he quotes the Illinois State Board of Health as saying that the tuberculin test probably will not disclose the presence of tuberculosis in a cow, and that taken alone, offers little guarantee that milk is free from infection; that it is a cow proposition and not a health proposition. He also quotes the Health Commissioner of Chicago as saying that tuberculin test is an economical proposition and not a matter of public health.

Mr. Cherry declares that the tuberculin test of all cattle is impracticable, and that the dairymen are more vitally interested in the health of their herds 'than are the faddists who want to innoculate every living thing except themselves with their deadly poisonous fluids." He further says that the dairymen welcome any sane effort that may be righteously made to improve the health and sanitary condition of their herds, and that they coincide with the Illinois position that danger of infection may be eliminated by a careful inspection of the cows, "followed by the removal of clinically tuberculosis animals and all that have any suspicious abnormality of the udder."

PASSING OF A PIONEER.

Man Well Known in Real Estate and Oil Circles Two Decades Ago, Dies at Advanced Age.

L. W. Mitchell, a pioneer oil and real estate operator of Los Angeles, died yesterday at the Glendale Sanatorium. He was 77 years old. Paralysis was the cause of death.

Mitchell came to Los Angeles from Tennessee in 1885, and invested heavily in land near Altadena. He also secured large oil holdings. Failing health forced him to retire from active business about eight years ago. He had spent the time since in traveling. His condition became worse about a month ago, and a week ago he was taken to the sanatorium.

Mitchell leaves four daughters and three sons. They are Mrs. John Yagie, Mrs. F. H. Hayward and Will Mitchell and Frank Mitchell of San Francisco, Mrs. Ralph E. Homann and Mrs. G. E. Sheldon of Los Angeles and C. W. Mitchell of Sierra Madre.

The funeral services will be held at Mrs. Homann's residence, No. 1022 North Coronado street, tomorrow morning. The services will be private.

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—A sale no man who wants to save on his winter suits can afford to overlook—and which so many men will attend.

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—will be a great opportunity for men who have been wanting these striking and comfortable knock-about hats. In this lot will be hats in all sizes and the snappiest tan, gray and oxford mixtures.

While 25 of these last, $1.25 each Today.

—Think of Half Price for Men's Stocks—3 pairs boxed 50c—now 25c.

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FINANCIAL NEWS SUMMARY.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Americans in London steady up 1-8 to 3-8.

London settlement begins today.

Murdo McKenzie of Colorado heads American-Canadian syndicate that buys 9,000,000 acres in Brazil to establish world's largest beef plant.

Lockout of 160,000 Lancashire cotton workers expected today.

Reported Harvey Fiske & Sons will finance $20,000,000 collar merger.

Official Teheran dispatches say Russians continue to kill the Persians and that peace is now impossible.

Twelve industrials declined .03 per cent.

Twenty active rails decreased .26 per cent.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 28, 1911.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $3,689,688.95. For the corresponding day of 1910, $3,070,790.23; for the same day of 1909, $2,585,093.47.

Monday	Holiday
Tuesday	$3,596,648.35
Wednesday	3,689,688.95
Total	$7,286,337.30
Same time, 1910	6,381,860.90
Same time, 1909	4,725,466.55

Quotations furnished by the Los Angeles Stock Exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

Producers—	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$50.00	$53.25
American Crude Oil Co.	....	.50
American Pet. Co. pfd.	....	50.00
American Pet. Co. com.	29.00	32.00
Associated Oil	44.62½	45.25
Bear Creek Oil & M. Co.	.25	....
Brookshire Oil	.50	.90
Cal. Midway Oil Co.	.19⅝	.20½
Central	1.94½	....
Columbia	1.10	1.15
Consol. Midway Oil Co.	.02¼	.02¾
Continental Oil	....	.27½
Euclid Oil Co.	.25	.37½
Fullerton Oil	....	4.50
Globe	.05	.06
Maricopa Queen Oil Co.	....	.30
Mascot Oil Co.	....	.95
Mexican Pet. Ltd. pfd.	78.00	....
Mexican Pet. Ltd. com.	45.00	46.00
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)	....	.45
Palmer Oil Co.	.75	.80
Penn. Midway Oil Co.	....	.12
Pinal Oil Co.	....	7.00
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	.87	.95
Section Six Oil Co.	....	.03
Trader's Oil Co.	74.00	....
Union	99.50	99.75
Union Provident Co.	98.75	....
United Petroleum	99.00	99.75
United Oil Co.	....	.32½
Western Union	....	110.00
White Star Oil Co.	.16¼	....
Yellowstone Oil Co.	.01½	.03
Non-producers—		
Nevada-Midway Oil Co.	.12	....
Oleum Development Co.	.03½	.03⅞

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
All Night & Day Bank	$115.00	....
American Savings Bank	175.00	225.00
Bank of So. California	....	90.00
Cal. Savings Bank	126.00	....
Central Nat'l Bank	208.00	....
Citizens' National	217.50	219.50
Commercial National	147.50	200.00
Equitable Savings Bank	225.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	315.00	....
Federal Bank of L. A.	125.00	....
First National	605.00	650.00
German-American Savings	342.50	....
Globe Savings Bank	127.00	....
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	115.00	118.00
Merchants' National	701.00	....
Merchants' Bank & Tr. Co.	....	135.00
National Bank of Cal.	205.00	....
National Bank of Com.	108.00	120.00
Security Savings Bank	397.50	....
The Southern Trust Co.	....	210.00
U. S. National Bank	150.00	175.00

BONDS. (With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	81	85
Associated Oil Co.	99½	100
Calif. Pac. Ry.	99½	102
Corona City Water Co.	99	....
Cucamonga Water Co.	97½	....
Edison El. Co., 1st R.	99	....
Edison El. Co., old issue	101	....
Home Telephone Co.	....	80
Home Tel Co., 1st Refg.	....	81
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	100	....
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtgs.	103½	106
L. A. Pac. Ry., 1st Refg.	99½	....
L. A. & Pasadena Elec. Ry.	103	....
L. A. Public Market Co.	103½	....
L. A. Railway Co.	105	106½
L. A. Redondo Ry. Co.	....	104
L. A. Traction Co., 6s	102	105
L. A. Traction Co., 5s	102	....
Mexican Nat'l Gas Co.	....	60
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	98	....
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	104	....
Pac. Light & Power Co.	96	....
Pac. Light & Power Gtd.	99	100
Pomona & Ont. L. & F. Co.	85	....
Pomona Con. Water Co.	99½	100½
S. Monica Bay H. T. Co.	....	80
S. D. H. T. & T., 1st Mtgs.	60	....
San Diego Home Tel. Co.	....	65
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	91
Temescal Water Co.	....	100
Union Transportation Co.	90	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	65	73
Whittier Home T. & T. Co.	40	....

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$100.00	....
Edison Electric pfd.	79.00	80.00
Edison Electric com.	63.00	....
Emergency Hospital	23.00	26.00
Hawaiian Com. & Sug.	40.00	....
Home Telephone pfd.	31.00	32.00
Home Telephone com.	7.50	9.50
Hutchinson S. P. Co.	16.00	....
L. A. Athletic Club	6.25	6.75
L. A. Investment Co.	3.60	....
Mexican Nat'l Gas pfd.	15.00	25.00
Mexican Nat'l Gas com.	10.00	....
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	66.00	....
Paauhau S. P. Co.	21.00	25.00
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	330.00	....
Pac. Con. Stone Co.	....	.25
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	15.00	....
S. Monica B. H. T., pfd.	3.00	3.50
Title G. & Tr. Co. pfd.	270.00	....
Title I. & Tr. Co. pfd.	176.00	....
Title I. & Tr. Co. com.	176.00	....
Title I. & Tr. Co. Ser. C.	178.00	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd.	29.00	33.00
Union Trust Co.	....	36.00
Whittier Home T. & T. Co.	....	75.00

SALES—Morning session: 1 Home Tel Co. bonds at 89; 10 Associated Oil at 44.75; 10 do. B-30 at 45; 10 Amalgamated Oil at 51; 10 do. at 52.25; 10 do. at 52.37½; 3000 Cons. Midway at 2⅝; 6000 do. at 2⅝; 4000 do. at 2½; 40 Mex. P. Ltd. com. at 45.75; 10 do. at 46.25; 10 do. at 46.25; 100 Palmer at 80½; 100 do. at 80; 100 do. at 79½; 300 United at 32; 1000 do. at 31¾; 1000 do. at 31⅝; 5 Union at 99.50; 10 do. at 99.50; 1 do. at 99.50. Off Board—50 Amalgamated Oil at 51; 10 Union at 99.50.

SALES—Afternoon session: 500 United at 31½.

MINING STOCKS. CALIFORNIA.

Miscellaneous—	Bid.	Asked.
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01⅞	.02⅛

NEVADA.

Miscellaneous—	Bid.	Asked.
Johnnie M. & M. Co.	.01¼	.02
(Searchlight District.)		
*Quartette	....	9.00
Searchlight Parallel	9.50	....

*—Per 1000 shares.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET

Lack of demand was particularly apparent in such staples as oranges, apples and nuts. Receipts of oranges since last week have amounted to very few boxes. Apple arrivals were liberal. Yesterday 641 boxes were reported in. The apples which were traded on the street and on the exchange were Langford seedlings and Smith Ciders. Red Pearmains of the 4-tier size sold at $1.25 per box on fancy stock. Guavas from San Diego county continued plentiful. They sold from 5 to 6 cents a basket. Strawberries brought from 12 to 15 cents.

The egg market was reported steady under the revised quotations of the previous day. There was a good demand for storage stock at quoted figures. Arrivals were 177 cases.

Butter receipts were 34,861 pounds. Considerable country butter is coming in. The price paid for this butter by dealers is less than 21 cents a pound. The market on creamery extra was firm, other grades were steady.

Northern fresh and eastern twin cheese were the only varieties offered. Sales were light. Receipts were only 136 pounds. Prices were firm.

The call for spuds was good. Lompoc and Oregon Rose sold at $1.60 in jobbing lots, and Highlands sold around $1.50. Arrivals of potatoes were 1282 sacks.

The market for onions was dull and inactive, current trading being restricted to the filling of routine wants for immediate requirements. There was no desire on the part of the dealers, however, to press sales and previously quoted rates were without change. There were no reported arrivals.

The market on beans showed no material change. Receipts were only 5 sacks.

The continued light arrivals of sweet potatoes has served to put the market in good shape. The call continued good as the stock moved at quoted figures. Arrivals were 33 sacks.

Green vegetables were in fair receipt and the better quality stock met with a snappy sale at the maximum rates.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eighteen cars navels, two cars Arizona navels and three cars California lemons sold. Market considerably lower on navels. Arizonas lower. Lemons firm. Cloudy.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Kaweah Chief, C. C. Ex.	$3.40
Gold Buckle, imp. R. H., E. High	2.95
Gold Buckle, R. H., E. High	2.70
Glendora Heights, fy, A. C. G., Glen.	2.80
Glendora Heights, ch, A. C. G., Glen.	2.35
Evolution, A. C. G., Glen.	2.10
Golden State, C. C. Ex.	3.15
Lemoncove, C. C. Ex.	2.70
Forgetmenot, T. C. C. Ex.	2.90
Pocahontas, T. C. C. Ex.	2.85
Sierra Vista, A. H. Ex.	2.30
Whittier, S. T., Whittier	2.00
Venus, E. Peycke Co.	2.55
Winter Haven, fy, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.70
Vista De Robles, Stewart Ft. Co.	1.90
Winter Haven, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.70
Red Rock	2.60
Solano, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.45
East Highland AA, E. High. C. A.	2.45
Biplane	2.75
East Highland AA, E. High. C. A.	2.35
East Highland BB, E. High. C. A.	2.20
Heart Merryman, FL. & W. Co.	2.70
Mars, E. Peycke Co.	2.40
Lemoncove, Cen. Cay. Lind	2.40
Niagara, Stewart Ft. Co.	1.90
Lemoncove, imp, Cen. Cay. Lind	2.50

ARIZONA NAVELS.

Desert	$4.20
Tonto	3.30
D Read	2.75

GRAPEFRUIT.—(California.)

Oasis	$2.10

ARIZONA HALVES.

Desert	$2.90
Cactus	2.00
Tonto	1.75
D. Read	1.40

LEMONS.

Quail	$2.75
Las Fuentes	2.15
Monticito Valley	1.65
Naralimo	2.85
Circus	2.55
Plain Ends	2.25
Pet, S. A. Ex.	$2.45
Lemoncove, Cen. Cal. Lind	2.35
Greyhound, S. A. Ex.	2.15
Floridas sold	$1.25 to $2.10

LEMONETTES.

Monticito Valley	$ .90

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nine cars navels, one car lemons sold. Market very strong at prevailing prices on oranges, unchanged on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Gold of Ophir, B. C. Palermo	$2.55
Gold Buckle, R. H., E. High	2.75
Craigynos, fy, Cen. Cal. Lind	2.75
Winter Haven, fy, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.75
Sunny Slope, fy, Randolph Ft. Co.	2.45
Blue Label, Cen. Cal. Lind	2.65
Blue Label, Cen. Cal. Lind	2.75
Forgetmenot, T. C. C., Ponca	2.65
Golden Orchard, fy, Ind. Ft. Co.	2.65
Vista De Robles, fy, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.25

LEMONS.

Pico, S. T., Whittier	$2.15

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three cars navels, two cars lemons sold. Also 32 cars Floridas. Oranges sold from 70c to $4.05; average, $2.40. Grapefruit, $2.50 to $5.55; average, $4.10. Market steady on good stock. Fruit showing considerable waste.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Craigynos, Cen. Cal. Lind	$2.60
Producers, xf, Red. G. B. Assn.	2.50
Blue Label, Cen. Cal. Lind	2.35
Venus, E. Peycke Co.	2.25

LEMONS.

Quail, O. K. Ex.	$3.00
Euclid, or, Growers' Ft. Co.	2.80
Plain, Growers' Ft. Co.	2.00
Coyote, O. K. Ex.	2.70
Flower, Growers' Ft. Co.	2.75

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cold. Market declining on navels, lemons and Floridas. Two cars navels, one car lemons and thirteen cars Floridas sold.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Vista De Robles, Stewart Ft. Co.	$2.10

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cold, cloudy. Eight cars sold. Market weak on account of prevailing weather conditions.

NOTE.—Trail brand of navels sold in St. Louis today averaged $2.60; not $2.50 as wired and given in first report.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Trail, A. C. G., Lamanda Park	$2.50
Planet, S. S., McPherson	1.95
SS Brand, S. S., McPherson	1.55
SS Brand, S. S., Orange	1.95
Chimes, A. C. G., Charter Oak	2.50
Majestic, C. S. Spencer	2.40
Busch Garden	2.35
Trail, imp, A. C. G., Lamanda Park	2.70
Searchlight, S. S., McPherson	1.85
Planet, S. S., Orange	2.05
Red Riding Hood, A. C. G., C. Oak	2.65
Marguerite, xc, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.90
Holiday	2.50
Utopian	2.45

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] Four cars sold. Market easier on oranges. Cloudy.

NAVELS.

Pioneer, Special, Pioneer F.	$2.20
Yellow Hammer, Spring Valley	2.20
Glendora Home, A. C. G., Glendora	2.25
Hetch Hetchy, Pioneer F.	2.10
Glendora Alps, A. C. G., Glendora	2.55
Oakleaf, T. C. C., Ponca	2.40

LEMONS.

Tulip, T. C. C., Ponca	$1.65

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 27. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] Six cars sold. Raining. Market unchanged.

NAVELS.

Craigynos, Cen. Cal., Lindsay	$2.65
Belt, R. H., E. High	2.00
Gold Buckle, R H., E. High	2.65
Orchid, fy, Altland F.	2.00
Gold Buckle, R. H., E. High	3.60
Forgetmenot, T. C. C., Ponca	2.70
Craigynos, Cen. Cal., Lindsay	2.75

NOTE.—The O'Neill Fruit Company, report that Hollywreath navels reported sold in Boston yesterday was not their car.

Los Angeles Market.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27.—Seven cars navels sold. Discount on standard grades, 25c. Sizes 80s and larger; also 288s and smaller also, 25c discount unles otherwise announced.

Squaw, fy, or, Casa Blanca, December 26, not shipped	$1.55
Squaw, fy, or, Casa Blanca, December 26, not shipped	1.60
California, ch, Casa Blanca, December 26, not shipped	1.35
Serenata, fy, or, Pomona, December 27, not shipped	1.47½
Southern Cross, sd, Pomona, December 27, not shipped	1.22½
Woodland, fy, or, Orange, December 22, Kansas City	1.35
Silver Star, sd, Orange, December 22, Kansas City	1.10
Woodland, fy or, Orange, December 23, Kansas City	1.32½
Silver Star, sd, Orange, December 23, Kansas City	1.07½
Sylvan, ex, ch, Orange, December 20, Kansas City	1.15
Silver Star, sd, Orange, December 20, Kansas City	.80
Naralimo, fy, or, Pedley, December 23, New York	1.40
Circus, ch, Pedley, December 23, New York	1.15
Del Oro, sd, Pedley, December 23, New York	.80

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

	Or.	Lem.	Tl.
Friday, December 22	92	8	100
Saturday, Sunday, Monday, December 23, 24, 25	109	17	126
Tuesday, December 26	47	3	50
Total to date this season	1,219	714	1,933
Total to same date last season	2,572	666	3,238

Prices Current.

EGGS—Fresh local ranch, candled, selected, 39; local ranch, case count, 35; pullets, 26; eastern storage, 28@30.

BUTTER — Price to trade, 2½c above quotations. Creamery extras, 36½ per lb.; creamery firsts, 32½; ladle, 25 per lb.; country, 23.

CHEESE — Northern fresh, 17½; eastern daisies, 19½; eastern twin, 18; Longhorns, 19½@20; singles, 16; cheddars, 18; Oregon daisy, 18@18½; Dom. Swiss block, 18; wheel, 19; imported, 33; Limburger, 17; cream brick, 20; Edam, $.50; Sierra, 1.10 per box; Neufchatel, 1.00 per box; Camembert, 1.20 per box; Canada cream, 1.00@1.10 per box; Roquefort, 45; German Breakfast, 1.10.

BEANS — Pink, No. 1, 3.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 4.75; small white, No. 1, 4.75; limas, No. 1, 6.50; black eyes, 4.50@5.00; lentils, 8.00; Garvanzas, 4.50; Mexican Reds, 3.75@4.00; Bayous, 4.50@5.00.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, 11@11½; Citron, fancy, 16; orange and lemon peel, 14@16; currants, imp. fancy, bulk, recleaned, 10; fancy 1-lb., 9@11; dates, packages, imported, Fards, fancy, 66s, 10½@11; Fards, fancy, 9-12s, 11@12½; Golden, 60s, 8½@9; packages, 9¼@11. Figs, black and white, 25s, 1.50@1.75; figs, white, six-oz. packages, 50s, 1.70@1.75; 12 oz., 12s, 90; 10 oz., 10s, 95; 6-oz. cartons, 12s, 1.00; imported, 15@17. Nectarines, per lb., 12. Peaches, 11@12½. Prunes, 30-40, 14; 40-50, 13; 20-30, 20; 60-70, 10@11; 70-80, 9@10; 80-90, 8@9; 90-100, 7½@8; (when packed in 50-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Apricots, 16@17. Pears, 12@18. Plums, 10.

RAISINS — Sultanas, bleached, 8@10; unbleached, 7@7½; seeded, 9 for 16-oz. pkgs., 7 for 12-oz. pkgs. London layers, 2-crown, 1.50; 3-crown, 1.75; 4-crown, 2.00; 5-crown, 2.25; 6-crown, 2.50; loose Muscatels, 2-crown, 6; 3-crown, 6½; 4-crown, 7.

NUTS—New almonds, fancy, IXL, 18½@22; Brazil, 18@20; filberts, large, new crop, 15; pecans, large, 18; pine nuts, 16; peanuts, California raw, 5@5½; eastern, 7@7½; Japan, 6@6½; Rice corn, 6.25@6.50; cocoanuts, 90 per doz.; popcorn, local, 1.75@5.00; eastern, 3.50; Manchurian, 13½; walnuts, No. 1 Assn., 14@15; Italian chestnuts, 11@12; budded walnuts, 18.

HONEY—Comb, fancy, water white, 1-lb. frames, 16@17; light amber, 13@14; white, 14@15; extracted, light amber, 7½; water white, 8½; white, 8; beeswax, 30 per lb.

CITRUS FRUITS — New navels, 2.00@2.50; lemons, 2.50; unpacked stock, 1.75@2.00; seedling grapefruit, 3.00@3.25; limes, 1.25 per 100.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Bellefleurs, 4-tier, 1.25@1.35; 4½-tier, 1.10@1.15; Jonathans, 4-tier, 2.25@2.35; Spitzenbergens, 4-tier, 1.50; 4½-tier, 1.10; crabapples, 1.25; Greenings, 2.00; Rome Beauty, 2.25@2.35; Pearmains 4-tier, 1.25; Colorado, Ganoes, 1.85; Smith Ciders, 1.35; Missouri Pippins, 4-tier, 1.35; W. W. Pearmains, 4-tier, 1.25; bananas, 4½ per lb.; pineapples, 5@9; pears, Bartletts, 7½ cents per lb.; cantaloupes, Xmas, 2.00@2.25 a crate; grapes, Cornichons, 2.00 per lug box; Muscats, 2.00 a lug box; Tokay grapes, 2.00 a lug box; Casabas, 2.00@2.25 a crate; pomegranates, 75@1.25 a lug box; persimmons, 1.25@1.75 a box; alligator pears, 5.00 doz.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 12@15 per basket; cranberries, 13.00.

ONIONS AND CHILI—Strings, 13@14; loose, 12; Mexican black, 21; chiltepinos, 75; Japan, 16; green chili, 8@10. Onions—Yellow Denvers, northern, 1.90; Australian Brown, northern, 1.90; White Wax onions, 3.50; Nevadas, 2.25@2.50; garlic, 7@8 per lb.

POTATOES — Sweet, yellow, 2.50@2.75 a cwt.; Highlands, 1.60@1.85; Salinas, 2.00@2.10; Lompocs, 2.00@2.10; Oregon, 2.10@2.25; Oregon Early Wonders, 2.40@2.50.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 40 doz.; carrots, 1.00 a sack; parsley, 25@30 per doz.; turnips, 1.25 a sack; kohlrabi, 40 per doz.; peas, 6@8; beans, Lima, 10@12 per lb.; wax beans, 10@12 per lb.; green beans, 10@12; watercress, 35@40 per doz.; spinach, 15@20; cabbage, 90 per sack; red cabbage, 3.00@3.50 a cwt.; green onions, 15@20 per doz.; leeks, 40 per doz.; lettuce, common, 1.25@1.50 per crate; parsnips, 45 per doz.; celery, new, 3.50@4.00 per crate; tomatoes, 75@85 per lug box; hothouse mushrooms, 50@1.00 per lb.; artichokes, northern, 90@1.00 per doz.; red chili peppers, 15@16 per lb.; celery root, 5 per lb.; rhubarb, winter crimson, 1.10; summer squash, local, 1.00 box; cucumbers, hothouse, 75@1.50; bell peppers, 9@10; eggplant, 8@10; cauliflower, 1.25@1.50 a crate; horseradish, 13½; Brussels sprouts, 10.

POULTRY—Dealers buy from the producer, live weight. Old roosters, 6; stags, 8; hens, 12@15; squab pigeons, 1.75 per doz.; fryers, 15; broilers, 22; roosters, 15; turkeys, 18@20; ducks, 14; geese, 14. Wholesaler sells to retailer, live weight: Hens, 15@19; fryers, 18; broilers, 25; squabs, 2.00; old roosters, 11; turkeys, 21@23; geese, 17; ducks, 17; roasters, 18. Dressed weight averages from 3c to 5c higher than live weight.

BACON—Winchester, 8-10 lb. bacon, 18⅝; Winchester, 6-8 lb. bacon, 19¼; Empire, 19⅝; Premium, 25; Atlas bacon, 17; Sunlight bacon, 19⅝; Rex breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 19¼; Rex breakfast bacon, 12 avg., 18¼; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 19¼; Colonial, 10-12, 17½; 12-14, 17½; Hauser's Pride bacon, 6-8 avg., 23; Angelus bacon, 6-8 avg., 19; Angelus bacon, 8-10 avg., 18; Angelus bacon, 10-12 avg., 16; bacon strips, 15½; bacon backs, 16½; smoked beef tongues, 26; dried beef insides, 24¼; dried beef knuckles, 23½; boiled beef tongues, 31; boiled and smoked beef tongues, 33.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Dry salt bellies, 12-14 avg., 14⅝; dry salt bellies, 14-20 avg., 14⅝; dry salt fat backs, 14-20, 12⅝; loin backs, 13⅝; short clear, square cut, 12⅝.

Meals—Per 100 lbs.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Capitol flour	....	3.30	....	....
Graham flour	3.20	3.00	2.95	2.93
Buckwheat flour	4.75	4.55	4.50	4.45
Buckwheat flour, pure	5.20	5.00	4.95	4.90
Rye flour or meal	3.70	3.50	3.45	3.40
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	3.20	3.00	2.95	2.90
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Oatmeal, ground	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Hominy, large or small	4.40	4.20	4.15	4.10
Cracked wheat	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Entire wheat flour	3.30	3.10	3.05	3.00
Pearl barley	6.10	5.90	5.85	5.80
Split peas, yellow	6.70	6.50	6.45	6.40
Split peas, green	8.20	8.00	7.95	7.90
Farina	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Nutrina Germ	4.30	4.10	4.05	4.00

GRAIN AND MEALS—Per 100 lbs. Alfalfa meals, 1.25; bone granulated, 2.05; bone meal, 2.05; blood meal, 3.35; XXXX beef scraps, 3.10; barley, rolled, 2.10; charcoal, 2.10; XXXX chick feed, 2.90; do., bale of 20 five-pound bags, 3.30; do., bale of 10-lb. bags, 3.10; corn, eastern, mixed, 1.70; corn, eastern white, 1.95; corn, small yellow, 1.95; feed meals, 2.05; Kaffir corn, 1.80; Egyptian corn, 1.80; Yellow Dent, 1.95; corn, cracked, 2.00; XXXX Dry Mash (a superior egg food.) per 90-lb. sack, 2.00; grit, granite, 60; millet, 3.75; oilcake meal, 2.65; red feed oats, 3.00; white feed oats, 1.95; rolled oats, 2.00; California clam shell, 50; do., white clam, 60; do., hard eastern oyster, 1.15; XXXX Special Dry Scratch Feed, 1.90; bran, 1.60; shorts, 1.85; No. 1 wheat, 1.75; wheat, 100-lb. sack, 1.80; wheat, cracked, 100-lb. sacks, 1.90; middlings, 1.85; Milo maize, 1.95.

HAY—(Baled.) Following are jobbing prices for hay. Producers receive 1.00 to 2.00 less than these prices:

Tame oat hay	$20.00	$22.00
Alfalfa hay	18.00	19.00
Barley hay	19.00	20.00
Wheat hay	20.00	22.00

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbbls., add 10c; ¼-bbls., 25c; and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25c cwt., 15 days. Beet gran., 6.10; Standard cane, 6.30; Standard berry, 6.30; Cube, A, crushed or fine crushed, 6.85; Candy gran., 6.40; powdered, 6.60; Confectioners' A, 6.40; Magnolia A, 6.10; Extra C or B, 6.00; Golden C, 5.90; D, 5.80; Bowles 6x powdered, 30-lb. boxes, 8.30; Bowles 6x powdered, ½-bbls., 7.45; Bowles 6x powdered, bbls., 7.30; Bowles Bros. Bar, bbls., 7.90.

FLOUR—Per bbl., Capitol, made of No. 1 hard and California wheat blended, 5.60. Aurora, 4.80; Mikado, 4.40; Trophy, 4.20; No. 2 hard bakers', made of hard wheat only, 5.20; Capitol Bakers' Extra Hard and Cal. Wheat blended, 5.40; Our Giant (bakers',) 5.10; Eclipse, 4.80; XXXX Standard blended, 5.60; Purity blended, 4.80; Our Pride, blended, 4.60. (Flour in ¼ sacks, 20c per bbl. higher.) Globe, 6.40; A1, 5.60; Silver Star, 4.80; XXX, 4.00; Sperry, 5.60; Drifted Snow, 5.60; Port Costa, 5.60; Golden Monarch, 4.80; La Pina, 4.80; Blue Bird, 4.00; Semolino, 5.90; Golden Rod, 5.70; Sperry's Ks., 5.70; Big Loaf, 5.40; Angelus Bakers', 5.20; Bell Brand, 5.10; Bakers' pastry, 4.80.

Pigs feet, kits	$1.35
Pigs feet, halves	5.85
Pigs feet, quarters	2.85
Pigs feet, barrels	14.90
Honey comb tripe, kits	1.25
Honey comb tripe, halves	5.35
Honey comb tripe, quarters	2.75
Pig pork, quarters	7.35
Pig pork, halves	14.50
Pig pork, barrels	27.50
Lambs tongue, kits	3.50
Lambs tongue, quarters	9.25
Corned beef, plate	11.50 bbl., 6.04 ½ bbl.
Corned beef, rump	10.00 bbl., 5.50 ½ bbl.
Corned beef, brisket	14.24 bbl., 7.50 ½ bbl.

LARD—Tierces, Diamond C lard, 14; Rex pure lard, 13; Red Star lard, 11⅝; Angelus lard, 11; Silver leaf, 13; Premium lard, 14; Armour's Simon pure lard, 14; Helmet, 12⅝; Shield, 11⅝; White Label, 9¼; White Ribbon Comp., 8¾; Suetene, 11¼; Diamond C Shortening, 13⅝; Violet lard compound, 7¼; Jewel brand compound, 8¼; Cottosuet, yellow, 8⅝; Cottosuet, white, 10; Armour's Vegetolene, 9; Pennant Compound, 7¼. (The above quotations are for tierces; add ¼c for tubs or single cans; ⅜c for large pails; ⅞c for medium pails, and 1 cent for small pails.) Cottolene, 60-lb. case, 30; small, 15; medium or 6 large, 7.35; 5-case lots, 7.25; 10-case lots, 7.20; 25-case lots, 7.10; Baker's Cottolene, ½ bbls., 10⅝.

HAMS—Per lb., Diamond C hams, 14-15, 18⅝; Diamond C skinned hams, 19¼; Rex hams, 14-15, 17⅝; Red skinned hams, 18¼; Pioneer hams, 14-16, 17¼; smoked picnic hams, 12; boiled hams, boneless, 25¼; Angelus hams, 15½; Angelus skinned hams, 17; boiled hams, 28; Hauser's Pride, 16¼; Hauser's skinned hams, 18½; boiled hams, 26; Empire skinned hams, 18¼; Empire hams, 18¼; Empire picnic hams, 12¼; Premium skinned hams, 19¾; Premium hams, 10-12, 19¼; 12-16, 19¼; Atlas hams, 8-10, 17; Premium boiled hams, 25½; Armour's Star hams, 10-12, 19¼; 12-14, 19½; 14-16, 19¼; skinned, 14-18, 19⅝; boiled hams, 26; Armour's Shield hams, 10-12, 18½; 12-14, 14-16, 18½; Shield skinned, 14-18, 18⅝; picnics, 6-8, 11⅞; Armour's Colonial hams, 10-12, 17⅝; 12-16, 17⅝.

LIVE STOCK—Based on delivered weights in Los Angeles (furnished by Hauser Packing Co.:) Steers, 5¾; heifers, 5; cows, 3½@4; calves, 5¼@6¼; small calves, 7; milk calves, 7½; wethers, 3.50 a head; ewes, 3.25; lambs, 3.25; hogs, 150-200 lbs., 6¾@7; hogs, 200-300, 6@6½.

BEEF—Steers, per lb., net, No. 1, 10; heifers, 6¼; steers, hind quarters, 12; steers, fore quarters, 8; heifers, hind quarters, 11; fore quarters, 8; short loins, 20; loin butts, 13; loin, No. 1, 17; ribs, No. 1, 12; loins, No. 3, 14; ribs, 11; full chucks, 7¾; short chucks, 8; triangles, 7½; plates, 6; short rounds and rumps, 10; steer rounds, butt on, 10½; tenderloins, fresh, 25; do. frozen, 18; shoulder clods, 12; rolls, 10; boned trimmings, 7½; shanks, 4; flank steaks, 10; sweetbreads, 25; fresh tongues, 12; suet, 8; cod fat, 7; livers, 7; ox tails, each, 5; brains, each, 10; hearts, 6; clean tripe, each, 20; feet, each, 7½; heads, 5 per lb.; kidneys, each, 5; cooked tripe, each, $2.50.

MUTTON—Per lb. net, lambs, plain, 11½; lamps, caul, 11; yearlings, 10; wethers, 8; ewes, 8½; racks, 12½; legs, 12; loins, 10½; Angelus, each, 3; plucks, each, 3; heads, skinned, each, 10; brains, 2; liver, hearts, 30.

PORK—Per lb., net, dressed hogs, head on, 11; do., head off, 12; trimmed hogs, 13; loins, local, frozen, 15; legs, 15; shoulders, 10½; picnics, 10; butts, 11; bellies, 15; trimmings, 10; tenderloins, 30; spare ribs, fresh, 10; do., frozen, 8; head, 7; back fat, 12; tails, 6; neck bones, 5; tongues, 10; pigs' feet, each, 2½; livers, 7; hearts, each, 3½; plucks, each, 7; kidneys, each, 1½.

SAUSAGE—Per lb. net, Diamond "C" link, 15; Diamond "C" bulk, 15; fresh pork links, 11½; fresh pork, bulk, 13; Spanish style pork, 11½; sour head cheese, 10-lb. pails, 10; bologna style, 9; bologna style, paraffined sacks, 9; Rex Frankfurt style, 9; Coney Island style Frankfurt, 9; minced, in bladders, 12; Douglas style in sacks, —; tongue loaf (new,) 30; Salami (Italian,) 29@30; German, 21; Cervalet, 12.

OIL LIST.

W. W. oil, iron bbls., drums and tank wagon	$ .08
Pearl oil, cases, 5s	.15
Astral oil, cases, 2-5s	.10
Elaine oil, cases, 2-5s	.25
Eocene oil, cases, 2-5s	.18
V. M. & P. naphtha, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.13½
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2-5s	.20½
Red Crown gasoline, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.15
Red Crown gasoline, cases, 2-5s	.22
86 per cent. gasoline, in bbls.	.28
86 per cent. gasoline, in cases	.35¼
Engine distillate, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.07½
Engine distillate, cases, 2-5s	.15
Turpentine, in cases	.73
Turpentine, 10-case lots	.72
Turpentine, iron bbls. (50-gal.)	.68
Turpentine, iron bbls. (100-gal.)	.65
Linseed oil, raw, in 1 to 4-lb. bbls.	.77
Linseed oil, boiled, in 1 to 4-lb. bbls.	.79
Linseed oil, cases, 5c per gal. higher.	
Linseed oil, in 5 bbls. and over, raw	.76
Linseed oil, in 5 bbls. and over, boiled	.78
Aroturps, cases, 2-5s	.31
Aroturps, 10-case lots	.28
Aroturps, in iron bbls., 50-gal.	.26
Aroturps, in iron bbls. 100-gal.	[illegible]

LOS ANGELES EXCHANGE.

Amalgamated is the Bullish Stock and Mexican Petroleum Common Slumps off Considerably.

Mexican Petroleum common, which has been the most bullish oil stock traded in on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange for some time, broke somewhat yesterday, closing at 45, off from 46.25. It was not active. Amalgamated was rather bullish, making another gain of $2 a share. Eighty shares changed hands, the stock closing at 52. Associated was also on the mend, and Union Oil did not change in the bidding.

The brokers were busy during the forenoon call, but the afternoon was rather quiet. There was nothing doing in the mining list.

SAN FRANCISCO EXCHANGE.

News from Consolidated Virginia Is Not As Satisfactory as Was Expected—Other Mining News.

[Special Service to The Times by B. F. Taylor, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Consolidated Virginia opened this morning 107½@110, after selling on the curb all last evening at 117½. The bulletin issued by the company this morning said they had just blasted the face of the drift, which showed quartz with seams of clay, no assays yet but looks about the same. The present bulletin does not show the true condition of the property as they are still prospecting. It closed 115@117½, up 5 points. Bulletin yesterday said the last assays were only $3.50 per ton. If this is true, the stock is not breaking enough. The balance of the Comstocks were practically unchanged from yesterday.

Tonopah mining was up 30 points. The balance of the Tonopahs were the same as yesterday.

The Goldfields all moved in very narrow limits. Stocks in the outlying camps were unchanged. Manhattan Big Four sold at 30 just at the close.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices:

Goldfield District—	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Atlanta	15	16	Jim Butler	29	30
Booth	6	7	Midway	19	21
Blue Bell	6	7	McNamara	27	28
Col. Mtn.	4	5	Montana	79	—
Com. Fract.	13	14	Ton. of Nev.	730	—
Daisy	12	14	Tono. Ex.	107½	—
Florence	60	62	West End	75	78
Gif. Cons.	482½	—	N. Star	23	25
Blue Bell	—	3	Rescue	21	—
Gif. Kew.	7	8	Bullfrog		
Great Bend	4	5	District—		
Jumbo Ex.	22	—	Bon. Clare.	—	8
Lone Star	4	5	May. Cons.	2	—
Oro	4	6	Tramp Cons.	—	3
Red Hills	1	3	Other		
S.-Kend.	3	—	Districts—		
St. Ives	30	—	Nev. Hills	225	—
Silver Pick	6	7	P. Sil. P.	120	—
Yel. Tiger	2	—	R. Mtn.	54	—
C. O. D.	12	—	Raw. Coal	2	3
G. F. Merger	19	—	Fair. Eagle	—	50
Dia. B. B.	7	8	Dexter	3	—
Vernal	14	18	E. Nest	—	3
Tonopah			Man. B. F.	30	—
District—			Mustang	4	—
Mizpah Ex.	70	—	Man. Con.	10	12
Belmont	—	810	Min. Hills	6	8

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING. STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive to The Times.] The closing quotations and sales on the Stock and Bond Exchange were as follows:

Miscellaneous Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
C.G.&El. Gen. M.&C.T. 5s	100½	....
City Electric Co. 5s	90	91
Market St. Cable 6s	100¼	100⅜
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	97¼	98
People's Water Co. 5s	72½	72¾
Powell St. Railway 6s	100	....
S.F.,O.&S.J. 2d mtg. 5s	92	93
S.P.R.R. Co. 1st Refdg. 4s	94⅝	....
Stockton Gas & El. Corp. 6s	93½	94
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	68⅞	69⅛
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co.	61	....
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
City Electric Co.	25	....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	3000	3500
Security Savings Bank	380	387½
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Coml. & Sugar	40½	....
Honokaa Sugar Co.	12	12½
Hutchinson Sugar Plan.	20⅛	21
Oil Stocks—		
Associated Oil Co.	44¼	....
Palmer Oil Co.	80	85
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	137½	145
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Cal. Wine Assn. pfd.	85⅝	....
Cal. Wine Assn. com.	....	59

SALES—Morning session: 5 U. R. R. 4s at 69; 3 Cal. Cent. Gas at 102½; 2 Natomas Cons. at 92⅝; 125 S. V. Water at 61; 10 Anglo at 157; 50 do. at 44½.

SALES—Afternoon session: 2 Nor. Ry at 112½; 5 U. R. R. 4s at 69; 8 S. P. ref. 4s at 14⅝; 125 do. at 45; 150 do. at 44½; 100 Haw. at 40½; 10 Giant Cons. at 87; 75 S. V. Water at 61¼.

Comstock Quotations.

[Special Service to The Times by B. F. Taylor, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Following were quotations in the leading Comstock mining stocks today:

Stocks—	—Open— Bid.	Asked.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
Ophir	1.65	1.70	1.65	1.67½
Mexican	4.35	4.37½	4.35	4.37½
Gould & Curry	.06	.07	.05	.07
Con. Va.	1.07½	1.10	1.15	1.17½
Savage	.32	.33	.30	.32
Hale & Norcross	.17	....	.17	....
Yellow Jacket	....	.55	....	.55
Belcher	....	....	.40	....
Confidence	....	.50	....	.50
Sierra Nevada	.29	.31	.29	.31
Exchequer	....	....	.07	.09
Union	1.15	1.20	1.17½	1.20
Chollar	....	....	.05	....
Potosi	....	....	....	.10

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS. FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.25; common, 1.00.

Grapes—Ordinary, 40@65.

Pears—Common, 75; fancy, 1.25.

Oranges—Navels, 1.75@2.50.

Mexican Limes—5.50@6.00.

Lemons—Common California, 1.25; fancy, 3.75.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 75@1.50; pineapples, 2.00@3.50.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@5.80; bakers' extras, 5.40@5.80; Oregon and Washington, 4.40@4.60.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.50@1.55.

Barley—Feed, 1.85.

Oats—Red, 1.60@1.90; white, 1.70@1.72½; black, 1.60@1.85.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 32.00@34.00; rolled barley, 38.00@39.00; oat groats, 4.50; rolled oats, 35.50@36.50.

Hay—Wheat, 17.00@22.00; wheat and oat, 17.00@20.00; oat, wild, 12.00@15.00; oat, tame, 16.00@19.50; alfalfa, 11.00@15.50; straw, 35@75.

Receipts—Flour, 5668; wheat, 600; barley, 49,309; potatoes, 3640; onions, 685; bran, 10; middlings, 5; hides, 10; wine, 35,500.

Beans—Pink, 2.75@3.00; Lima, 6.00@6.10; small white, 4.00@4.10; large white, 4.00@4.19.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.25@1.75; river Burbanks, 1.00@1.25; Salinas Burbanks, 1.60@1.85; Merced sweets, 2.65@2.75.

Onions—Fancy, 1.35; common, 1.15.

Various—Green peas, 7@15; string beans, 8@15; eggplant, 3@8; green peppers, 4@5; tomatoes, 1.50@1.75; summer squash, 1.00@1.50; garlic, 3@3½; cucumbers, 65@1.00.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 36; seconds, 31; fancy dairy, 30.

Cheese—New, 14@15; Young America, 15@16.

Eggs—Ranch, 42; store, 33½.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 20@22; dressed turkeys, 23@28; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; roosters, young, 6.00@9.00; broilers, small, 3.00@3.75; broilers, large, 4.00@4.50; fryers, 5.00@5.50; hens, 3.50@9.00; ducks, old, 4.00@5.00; ducks, young, 7.00@9.00; geese, 2.00@3.00; pigeons old, 1.50@1.75; pigeons, young, 2.00@2.50.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, steady, no trading; cash, 1.50@1.55. Barley, steady; December, 1.85; May, 1.95; cash, 1.85. Corn, steady; Western States yellow, 1.52. Afternoon session: Wheat, steady, no trading. Barley, steady; May, 1.95.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Butter, fancy creamery, 36; seconds, 31; fancy dairy, 30. Eggs, store, 33½; fancy ranch, 42. Cheese, new, 14@15; Young Americas, 15@16.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 54⅝; Mexican dollars, 45; drafts, sight, 2½; drafts, telegraph, 5.

General Eastern.

BLACK RUST ON THE WHEAT.

DAMAGE TO THE CROP IN ARGENTINE.

Vital Part of the Yield in the Richest Provinces of the Republic Is Said to Be Affected—Reports Give Strength to the Market in Chicago.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Black rust attacking the vital part of the Argentine crop, the yield in the rich provinces to the south, gave sudden strength today to the market for wheat. Closing prices were up 1@1¼ higher than last night. Corn showed a net gain of ⅝@½ to 1⅛@1⅜, and oats an advance of ⅝@⅝ to 1@1⅛. The close left hog products unchanged to 7½ decline. May wheat ranged from 98¼@99⅛, with last sales 1¼ up at 99 even. May corn fluctuated from 63½@64⅜, closing firm ⅝@½ net higher at 64@64⅛. Cash grades were steady for best lots, but easy for less desirable sorts. No. 2 yellow was quoted at 72 for old. Upper and lower levels touched for May oats proved to be 47⅜ and 46½, with the close at 47⅜, a gain of 1 cent. It was rather a dull market in provisions. Most of the business consisted in changing January property to deferred months. At the close pork and lard had sagged 2½@7½, but ribs were unchanged to a shade lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—Steady; No. 2 rye, 91@92; feed or mixing barley, 85@95; fair to choice malting, 1.15@1.27; Timothy seed, 12.50@15.00; clover, 13.50@20.25; mess pork, per barrel, 14.75@15.00; lard, per 100 pounds, 9.10; short ribs, sides, (loose,) 8.12½.

Grain Statistics.

Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 531,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 582,000 bushels, compared with 632,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 16 cars; corn, 88 cars; oats, 83 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 27. — Following is range of quotations today:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	94½@94⅝	95	94	94⅝
May	98¼@98⅜	99¼	98¼	*99
July	93⅞	94½	93⅝	*94⅜
Corn—				
December	63⅝	65¼	63½	*65
May	63⅝@63½	64⅜	63½	64
July	63½	64⅜	63½	64
Oats—				
December	45⅝	46⅜	45⅝	**46⅜
May	46⅝@46½	47⅜	46½	**47⅜
July	42⅞@43	43⅜	42⅞	43⅜
Pork—				
May	16.00	16.05	16.00	16.00
July	....	16.17	16.12	**16.12
January	15.55	15.60	15.55	**15.55
Lard—				
December	....	....	....	!9.10
January	9.17	9.17	9.15	9.17
May	9.42	9.42	9.40	*9.40
July	9.55	9.55	9.52	9.52
Ribs—				
January	....	....	....	*9.35
May	8.67	8.67	8.62	**8.62
July	8.70	8.70	8.65	**8.65

*Bid. **Asked. !Nominal.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Close: Wheat, December, 94⅞; May, 99; July, 94⅜. Corn, December, 65@65⅛; May and July, 64@64⅛. Oats, December, 46⅜; May, 47⅜; July, 43⅜@43⅜. Pork, January, 15.55; May, 16.00; July, 16.12½. Lard, January, 9.15@9.17½; May, 9.40@9.42½; July, 9.52½. Ribs, May, 8.62½; July, 8.65@8.67½. Rye, No. 2, 91@92. Barley, 75@1.30. Timothy, 12.50@13.00. Clover, 13.50@14.00.

New York Cotton Market.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The cotton market was lower at the opening today, in keeping with Liverpool and Manchester advices, but later advanced about 15 points on short covering and buying of January contracts by Philadelphia spot interests. News as to the threatened lockout was more or less conflicting and traders were therefore undecided and unwilling to enter into new obligations. During the last hour prices eased off slightly on advices stating that all weaving mills would lock out their employes tomorrow and that spinning mills had decided to close down three days a week in order to prevent accumulation of yarns.

Logan & Bryan's letter says:

"Despite the fact that trouble exists between the mill owners and weavers in the Lancashire district, which has resulted in a temporary lockout with a definite settlement of the trouble not yet in sight, the cotton market ruled firm during the entire session with the exception of a dip at opening of 3 to 5 points in response to disappointing cables from Liverpool. The tenacity with which the market holds in the face of the developments that ordinarily would have caused a heavy and declining market is causing a change in sentiment and many erstwhile pronounced bears are inclined to desert the short side and are accepting the view that the decline in price has discounted the large production and other bearish features that from time to time inject themselves into the situation. It has been three years since the opportunity presented itself to test the effect of low-priced raw material on consumption, and at that time stocks of cotton in reserve and manufactured goods were lager than at the inception of the present cotton year."

Following is range of quotations today:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
January	8.70	8.82	8.69	8.77	8.78
February	....	8.90	8.87	....	....
March	8.84	8.98	8.84	8.92	8.94
April	....	....	....	8.97	8.99
July	9.08	9.21	9.08	9.17	9.18
August	9.07	9.22	9.09	9.18	9.20
September	9.22	9.32	9.20	9.23	9.25
October	....	....	....	9.28	9.29
November	....	9.28	9.24	9.31	9.33
December	9.05	9.26	9.17	9.22	9.23

Spots, 9.50.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Following were the closing bid and asked prices:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
December	14.07	14.08	July	14.04	14.05
January	13.65	13.68	August	14.04	14.05
March	14.26	14.27	October	14.02	14.03
May	14.06	14.07			

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard Copper—Easy; spot and December, 13.87½@14.00; January, 13.95@14.10; February and March, 13.95@14.15; April, 13.95@14.10. London—Firm; spot, £63, 15s; futures, £64 12s 6d. Lake copper, 14¼@14½; electrolytic, 14¼@14⅜; casting, 13⅞@14. Local sales twenty-five tons January copper at 13.95. Tin—Steady; spot, 44.90@45.25; December, 44.75@45.25; January, 44.70@44.90; February and March, 42.25@42.75; April, 42.12½@42.75. London—Quiet; spot, £206; futures £191, 15s. Lead—Quiet, 4.40@4.50 New York; 4.32½@4.37½ East St. Louis. London—£15 16s 3d. Spelter—Quiet, 6.25@6.35 New York; 6.10@6.20 East St. Louis. London—£26 15s. Antimony—Dull; Cookson's, 7.75. Iron—Cleveland warrants, 50s 10½d in London. Locally iron was quiet; No. 1 foundry northern, 14.75@15.00; No. 2, 14.50@14.75; No. 1 southern and No. 1 southern soft, 14.25@14.75.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Evaporated apples quiet and steady; on the spot, fancy, are quoted at 9¾@10¼; choice, 8⅝@9¼; prime, 8¼@8⅜. Prunes, firm; especially for small sizes; quotations range from 5@13½ for Californias up to 30-40s, and 10¼@12 for Oregons. Apricots quiet and steady; choice, 15@15½; extra choice, 16@16¼; fancy, 17@18. Peaches, inactive, but steady; choice, 11¼@11½; extra choice, 11⅝@12; fancy, 12¼@12⅝. Raisins, dull, but steady; loose Muscatels are quoted at 5¾@7; choice to fancy seeded, 7⅝@8¼; seedless at 6@7; Londons layers, 1.40@1.45.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] At the beginning of business today the condition of the United States treasury was: Working balance in treasury offices, $63,228,000. In banks and Philippine treasury, $35,293,888. The total balance in general fund, $124,562,984. Ordinary receipts yesterday were $763,363, with ordinary disbursements of $1,541,580. The deficit to date this fiscal year was $23,580,635, as against a deficit of $6,769,519, at this time last year. These figures exclude Panama Canal and public debt transactions.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Money on call steady, 3½@4 per cent. Ruling rate, 3¾; closing bid, 3½; offered at 3¾. Time loans easier; sixty days, 4 per cent.; 90 days, 3¾@4 per cent.; six months, 3¾@4. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4½@4½. Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.83 for sixty-day bills and at 4.85 17-20 demand. Commercial, 4.82¼. Bar silver, 54⅝. Mexican dollars, 46. Bonds, government, steady; railroads, irregular.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Butter, steady; eggs, firm; fresh gathered extras, 35@36; extra firsts, 33; firsts, 31@32; seconds, 28@30.

CLEARING HOUSE BANKS

NAME	OFFICERS
First National Bank, S. E. Cor. Second and Spring	J. M. ELLIOTT, Pres. W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cashier.
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Citizens' National Bank, S. W. Cor. Third and Main	A. J. WATERS, Pres. E. T. PETTIGREW, Cashier.
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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES. The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Los Angeles, will be held at the banking house on the southwest corner of Main and Fourth streets, in the City of Los Angeles, Cal., on Tuesday, January ..., at ... o'clock p.m. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

V. H. ROSSETTI, Cashier.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. ...

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the ... Insurance and Trust Company will be held at the office of the Company in the ... Building, 201 New High Street, ... Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, California, on Tuesday, ... at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors ... such other business as may come before such meeting.

WILLIAM H. ALLEN, ...

O. P. CLARK, Sec'y.

The undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Grace Kircher, or ...

Business: Shipping, Mines and Stocks.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU. [Reported by A. B. Carpenter, Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock ... registered 30.18; at 5 p.m., ... for the corresponding ... and 54 deg. Relative ... 73 per cent.; 5 p.m., 53 per ... northeast, velocity, 12 ... velocity, 7 miles. ... 66 deg.; lowest, 43 deg. ... 2.23 inches. Barometer ...

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.
	46	38	42
	58	43	50
	40	40	40
	24	24	24
	26	26	26
	64	43	54
	50	38	44
	38	..	..
	4	—2	1
	20	12	16
	68	66	67
	34	20	27

CONDITIONS. — A storm of ... is entering the Pa... this morning, causing in... over Northern California, ... Idaho and the inter-moun... precipitation in Washington ... Oregon. On the south Pacific ... continues fair and cold, ... to Southern California and ... San Joaquin Valley. The ... storm has moved to the ... Canada, and general pre... reported east of the Mississippi ... winds and gales along the ... Great Lakes. Fair, cold weath... the Plains States. ... the North Pacific States is ... slowly southeastward ... twenty-four hours, causing ... and higher temperature ... California tonight and Thurs... becoming unsettled and ... Thursday afternoon, probably ... night. The severe cold spell ... the citrus fruit belt for the ... will be effectually brok... night.

... Los Angeles and vicinity. ... and slowly rising tem... Winds becoming south...

... Riverside and San Ber... cloudiness and slowly ...

... of the Tehachepi: Cloudy; ... rain.

... and vicinity: Showers Thurs... wind.

... Valley: Showers Thursday, ...

... Valley: Showers Thursday; ... brisk south wind.

... Valley: Rain Thursday, snow ... brisk south wind.

... Unsettled weather ... rain; somewhat warmer; ...

... Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch ... Reclamation Service.] Gauge ... River, 16.80 feet.

... Thursday; snow at night or ... portion; increasing cloudiness.

SHIPPING.

SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, Dec. 27.

... Capt. Hamma, from San ...

... Magician, Capt. Harris, 3271 ... days from Antwerp, via ... and Santos.

... Capt. Martin, five days ... Harbor, via San Francisco and ...

... E. Dorr, Capt. Panzer, six ... Harbor.

... Capt. Wehman, six days from ...

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27.

... Capt. Cousins, for San ...

... Capt. Hamma, for San ...

... Capt. Johannsen, for ...

... Capt. Treanor, for Eu...

... M. Campbell, Capt. Nelson, ... ballast.

... Magician, Capt. Harris, for ...

... Capt. Self, for Eureka, via ... San Francisco.

... Capt. Buckhard, for Coos ...

IN PORT.

... Magician, outer harbor.

... S. P. L. Co. wharf.

... E. Dorr, S. P. slip.

... Nav. Co. wharf.

... S. P. wharf.

... Natl. L. Co. wharf.

... Natl. L. Co. wharf.

... outer harbor.

... S. P. slip.

... S. P. L. Co. wharf.

... Pac. L. Co. wharf.

... E. K. Wood wharf.

... S. P. L. Co. wharf.

DUE—THURSDAY, DEC. 28.

... Capt. Cousins, for Pu... via San Francisco.

... Capt. McFarland, for San ...

... Capt. Jepsen, for San ...

... Capt. Self, for Eureka, via ...

... Magician, Capt. Harris, for ...

... Capt. Martin, for Gray's ... San Francisco.

... Capt. Paulson, for San ...

FRIDAY, DEC. 29.

... Capt. Jepsen, for San ...

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

... Coast, from Fields Landing.

... H. Murphy, from Eu...

... from Eureka.

... Monica, from Eureka, via ...

... from Eureka.

... from Eureka.

... from Portland, via San ...

... from Gray's Harbor, via ...

... H. Leggett, from Aberdeen.

... from Astoria, via San ...

... from Everett.

... from South Bend.

... from Coquille River.

... from Aberdeen, via San ...

... from South Bend, via ...

... from Tacoma.

... from Winslow.

... from Tacoma.

... from Westport.

... Hind, from Aberdeen.

... A. West, from Aberdeen.

... from Umpqua River.

... from Tacoma.

FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

... from Hamburg, via ...

... from Hamburg, ... Arrived at Talahuana after los... sailed from Valparaiso, Dec. ...

... Crown of Aragon, from Ham... sailed Dec. 18.

... Canadian, from Antwerp, via ... sailed Dec. 25; sailed from Santos, ...

... Senator, at London, loading.

... Dollar, from Shanghai; ... Japan; arrived at ... arrived at Kushiro, Dec. 17.

... Chancellor, at Antwerp.

... Crown of Toledo, at Ant...

... training ship Taxisei Maru, sailed ...

... from Balboa, Panama; ...

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

	High.	Low.
Dec. 28	2:00 a.m.	9:12 a.m.
"	2:23 p.m.	3:49 p.m.
"	2:53 a.m.	10:20 a.m.
"	4:29 p.m.	9:47 p.m.
"	4:44 a.m.	10:39 a.m.
"	6:01 p.m.	9:47 p.m.
"	5:23 a.m.	12:23 a.m.
"	7:15 p.m.	11:45 p.m.
"	6:55 a.m.	1:44 a.m.
"	7:37 p.m.	
"	7:40 a.m.	0:38 a.m.
"	8:23 p.m.	2:25 p.m.

Port Items.

... Company's steamer Hanalei ... morning, bringing forty-eight pas... and ... tons of miscellaneous freight ... consigned to the Crescent ... Company, and cleared ... return trip with return cargo. ... completed the dis... feet of lumber for the Con... Company at Wilmington and sailed today, in ballast, for Eureka, under charter to load for Honolulu.

The Pacific Coast Company's liner Governor proceeded this morning for San Diego, with passengers and freight, and will touch here tomorrow, northbound, for Puget Sound ports, via San Francisco.

The steamer Alcatraz finished discharging 200,000 feet of redwood lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company and sailed today, in ballast, for Greenwood, direct, to load a return cargo.

The Japanese naval training ship Taxisei Maru, sailed from Yokohama for San Pedro on November 23.

The schooner Annie M. Campbell completed the discharge of 750,000 feet of lumber for the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill and Lumber Company and sailed today, in ballast, for Tacoma, to reload.

The British steamer Magician, Capt. Harris, 3271 tons, arrived this morning, out seventy-three days from Antwerp, via Glasgow, Liverpool and Santos, after an uneventful voyage, with general cargo of freight and merchandise, consigned to Balfour-Guthrie & Co. The Magician will proceed tomorrow for San Francisco, to complete discharge of cargo.

After landing 350,000 feet of lumber for wholesalers at Santa Barbara, the steamer Norwood arrived this morning, out five days from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco, with passengers and freight, and 500,000 feet additional cargo of lumber, consigned to the San Pedro Lumber Company.

The steamer Temple E. Dorr, arriving today, out six days from Gray's Harbor, with 825,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the Hicks-Hauptman Lumber Company, reports an exceedingly rough voyage. Heavy storms were encountered and Capt. Panzer took the steamer 100 miles off shore to avoid them, and prevent the loss of his deckload of lumber.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamer Senator is due to arrive Thursday morning from Guaymas, via Ensenada and way ports, en route to San Francisco.

The British steamer Magician, arriving this morning from San Francisco, proceeded tonight for San Francisco.

The steamer Iaqua completed the discharge of 525,000 feet of lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company and cleared tonight for Redondo Beach, carrying 200,000 additional feet for wholesalers at that port. Thence for Eureka, via San Francisco, to reload.

The steamer Bee arrived this afternoon, out six days from Everett, with 700,000 feet of lumber, consigned to the Consolidated Lumber Company at Wilmington.

The steamer Excelsior finished discharging 550,000 feet of lumber for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company and cleared tonight for Coos Bay, in ballast, to reload.

REDONDO BEACH.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer Helene, Capt. Anderson, from Eureka.

Steamer Jim Butler, Capt. Paterson, from Willapa Harbor.

Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Self, from Eureka, via San Pedro.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27.

Steamer George Loomis, Capt. Smith, for Point Richmond.

Steamer Helene, Capt. Anderson, for San Pedro.

Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Self, for Eureka.

IN PORT—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 27.

Tug Collis, Wharf No. 1.

Steamer Bandon, Wharf No. 1.

Steamer Jim Butler, Wharf No. 2.

Schooner C. S. Holmes, Wharf No. 2.

Steamer Verona, Wharf No. 3.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE FOR ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF VESSELS.

Steamship State of California, from San Francisco, via Santa Barbara, en voyage to San Diego, via San Pedro.

LOADING FOR THIS PORT.

Schooner Nokomis, Bellingham.

Steamer Chancelor, Antwerp.

Steamer Chehalis, Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Lakme, Eureka.

VESSELS ON THE WAY.

Steamer Temple E. Dorr, Aberdeen.

Steamer Excelsior, Coos Bay.

Steamer Yosemite, Portland.

PORT ITEMS.

Steamer Helene arrived here today, from Eureka, via San Pedro, with 300,000 feet of lumber for local dealers.

Steamer Jim Butler arrived here today from Willapa Harbor, with 600,000 feet of lumber for local dealers.

Steamer Iaqua arrived here today, from Eureka, with 140,000 feet of lumber for local dealers.

Shares and Money.

PRICE LEVELS ABOUT THE SAME.

BARELY DISTURBED BY THE DAY'S TRADING.

Selling Movement Is Begun Before the Close of the New York Stock Exchange and Some of the Leading Issues Are Depressed a Point or So.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The price levels for most of the standard stocks were barely disturbed during today's trading until shortly before the close of the market. A selling movement was begun at that time and some leading issues, including Union Pacific, Reading, Canadian Pacific, United States Steel and American Smelting, were depressed a point or so below the previous close. The distinctive movements of the earlier day were among the specialties. One of the most prominent was International Mercantile Marine. The buying came largely from London and was reported to be based on steps taken by the company to enter more largely into the American domestic trade. National Biscuit rose more than 3 points, and North American, Great Northern Ore and some of the copper and steel stocks rose a point or more. The afternoon decline, however, either cancelled the gains or reduced them largely. Among the railroad stocks pressure against Union Pacific was noticeable. Rock Island's movement attracted some attention because of the unfavorable November report of the system. Although the loss in net revenue was well above $500,000, the stock developed strength, the preferred issue moving up ½. The lull in the buying of steel products, such as is usual at this period of the year, has not occurred, and large orders have been received this week. New orders of the United States Steel corporation at present are placed at more than 50,000 tons daily, which is considerably in excess of the present rate of production. The bond market was irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,361,000. United States bonds unchanged on call.

New York Stocks.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. — [Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Ask.
100	Atl. C. L.	134½	134½	134½	135
......	Allis Chalmers	....	....	1⅜	1⅝
100	Do. pfd.	8	8	7⅜	8
9,500	Amalg. Copper	67⅝	66⅛	66⅛	66⅜
100	Amer. Agr. Ch.	63	63	62⅞	63
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	103	104¾
800	Amer. C. & F. Co.	54⅝	54	54	54⅜
100	Do. pfd.	117¾	117¾	116	117½
800	Amer. Can Co.	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	10¾
200	Do. pfd.	90	90	89½	89⅞
600	Amer. Beet S.	57	56½	56½	57
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	95	99½
500	Amer. Cotton Oil	46⅜	46⅛	46⅛	46⅜
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	93½	94½
100	Amer. Ice Sec.	18⅝	18⅝	18⅜	19
......	Amer. Ex.	....	....	208	212
......	Amer. H. & L.	....	....	3½	3⅝
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	20	22
100	Amer. Linseed	11½	11½	11½	12
200	Do. pfd.	34	34	34	34½
......	Amer. Loco.	....	....	35½	36⅝
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	104½	106
......	Amer. Steel Fdy.	....	....	33	33½
2,400	Amer. S. & R. Co.	74	72⅝	72⅝	72⅞
200	Do. pfd.	103	102⅞	102½	103
100	Amer. Sugar	115¼	115¼	115	115½
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	114½	116¾
400	Amer. T. & T. Co.	139⅝	139⅜	139⅜	139⅝
400	Amer. Tob. pfd.	103¼	103	102⅞	103¼
......	Amer. Woolen	....	....	25	27
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	86½	88
2,100	Anaconda	39	38⅝	38⅝	38¾
1,400	A. T. & S. F.	106⅜	106	106	106⅛
400	Do. pfd.	104⅝	104⅜	104	104⅝
500	Balt. & Ohio	103¼	103	102⅞	102⅞
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	89½	90
700	Beth. Steel	31½	30⅞	31½	32
400	Do. pfd.	61⅞	61	60⅞	61¼
700	B. R. T.	76⅞	76⅜	76½	77
1,400	Can. Pacific	241⅝	241⅛	241¼	241½
400	C. & O.	74⅝	74½	74⅜	74½
400	Cent. Leather	21¼	21	21	21¼
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	91	92½
......	Chicago & Alton	....	....	18	2[illegible]
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	35	45
......	C. & G. W.	....	....	18	18¼
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	35¾	36½
100	C. & N. W.	143	143	142½	143½
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	190	200
2,600	C. M. & St. P.	110⅝	110⅛	110⅛	110⅜
100	Do. pfd.	145½	145½	145	146½
......	C. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	60	63
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	93	110
500	Colo. F. & I.	27⅞	27	27	28
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	....	110
......	Colo. Southern	....	....	45	48
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	76½	77
......	Do. 2d pfd.	....	....	65	75
1,100	Consolidated Gas	138⅜	138⅜	138	139
......	Corn Products	....	....	10⅛	10⅜
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	77½	78½
......	Del. & Hudson	....	....	167	169¼
......	D. L. & W.	....	....	520	550
600	D. & R. G.	19½	19¼	19¼	19½
600	D. & R. G. pfd.	40¼	39⅝	40	40¼
200	Distilling Sec.	31⅛	31	31	31¼
......	D. S. S. & A.	....	....	8½	9
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	16⅜	17½
2,800	Erie	32	31½	31½	31⅝
600	Erie 1st pfd.	52⅝	52½	52⅜	52½
......	Erie 2d pfd.	....	....	42½	43
200	General Electric	154⅝	154	153¾	154
1,100	Gt. Nor. pfd.	127⅝	127¼	127⅜	127½
1,000	Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	38½	37½	38	38¼
200	Ill. Central	140¼	140⅛	140	141
2,700	Int. Har. Co.	109½	107⅞	108	108½
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	119⅜	120
500	Int. Paper	9½	9½	9¼	10
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	45½	46
......	Int. Pump	....	....	32	34
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	82	83
......	Iowa Central	....	....	15½	16½
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	31½	33
......	Kan. Cy. Sou.	....	....	27½	29
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	65½	66⅜
1,000	L. & N.	156½	155½	155	155¼
......	Laclede Gas com.	....	....	104⅜	105
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	90	100
......	Manhattan	....	....	135	136
700	Inter Met.	15⅝	15¼	15	15¼
500	Do. pfd.	49	48⅝	48½	48⅝
1,100	Mex. Cent. Ctfs.	35	34⅝	34½	35
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	66½	69½
600	Mackay	80	79⅝	79	80
400	Mackay pfd.	69	69	68	69¼
......	M. & St. L.	....	....	30	31
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	58¼	59
......	M.St.P.&S.S.M.	....	....	134¼	135
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	148	150
100	M. K. & T.	29	29	28⅞	29
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	62	64½
5,700	Mo. Pacific	40¼	39⅛	39⅛	39⅜
3,700	National Lead	55¼	54⅝	54⅝	55
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	105	108⅝
4,500	National Biscuit	142⅞	140	141½	141⅞
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	124	128
5,200	Nevada Con.	20	19⅝	19⅝	19⅞
......	N. Y. Air Brake	....	....	50	68
1,500	N. Y. Central	106¼	105⅝	105½	106
......	N. Y. C. & St. L.	....	....	53½	59
......	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	98½	110
......	Do. 2d pfd.	....	....	75	85
300	N. Y. Ont. & W.	39	39	38½	39
1,300	Norfolk & West	108½	108	108	108¼
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	90	91
1,000	North American	75¼	74⅝	74½	75
1,500	Northern Pacific	118¼	118	117⅝	118
......	Omaha	....	....	137	141
......	Omaha pfd.	....	....	150	160
700	Pacific Mail	32	31½	31¼	31½
100	Pac. T. & T.	47½	47½	47	47½
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	98	102
1,300	Penn. R.R. Co.	123	122⅝	122⅝	123
200	Pitts Coal	18⅝	18½	18½	18⅞
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	83	83½
100	Pressed Steel Car.	33½	33½	33	34
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	100	102
......	Pacific Coast	....	....	95	105
400	P. C. C. & St. L.	97¼	97¼	97	97¼
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	106	112
100	Pullman	159	159	158	159
100	Ry. St. Spr. Co.	30⅞	30⅞	30⅜	31
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	98½	101
29,700	Reading	153¼	152	152	152¼
200	Reading 1st pfd.	89⅝	89⅝	89	90
......	Reading 2d pfd.	....	....	93	95
500	Republic I. & S.	27⅝	27⅜	27	27¼
400	Do. pfd.	84⅝	84¼	84	84⅜
1,200	Rock Island	24⅜	23⅞	23⅞	24⅛
3,200	Do. pfd.	46⅞	44⅝	46¼	46½
......	S. S. S. & I. Co.	....	....	41	44
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	105	110
100	St.L.&S.F. 1st pfd.	68	68	66	68
200	Do. 2d pfd.	41	40⅞	40½	41
......	St. L. & S. W.	....	....	30	32
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	70	72
1,700	So. Pacific	112⅝	112	112	113¼
2,300	Southern Ry.	29⅝	28⅞	28⅞	29
400	Do. pfd.	71⅝	71	71¼	71½
300	Third Ave. Ry.	39⅞	39¼	39¼	39¾
1,700	Tenn. Copper	38⅝	38	38	38¼
500	Texas Pacific	20⅝	20⅜	20¼	20¾
200	Tol. St. L. & W.	14	14	13	14½
200	Do. pfd.	35⅞	35⅜	33½	35⅜
......	Twin City R. T.	....	....	104½	105
......	Union B. & P. Co.	....	....	5	6
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	50	53
37,000	Union Pacific	174⅜	172⅞	173	173¼
200	Do. pfd.	93	93	92¼	93½
20,700	Utah Copper	57⅞	56¼	56⅝	56⅞
......	United Rs. of S.F.	....	....	32	35
200	Do. pfd.	60⅞	60⅞	60	61
......	U. S. C. I. Pipe	....	....	16¼	17
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	51¼	52½
......	U. S. Express	....	....	84	88
1,000	U. S. Marine Co.	4⅞	4⅜	4¼	4⅞
7,600	Do. pfd.	20⅞	20⅛	20⅜	20⅝
......	U. S. R. & C.	....	....	69	69½
......	U. S. R. & R. Co.	....	....	3	3
......	Do. pfd.	....	....	....	12½
300	U. S. Rubber	48	47⅝	47⅝	48
100	Do. 1st pfd.	110¼	110¼	109	110⅜
......	Do. 2d pfd.	....	....	75	76
27,700	U. S. Steel Cor.	68⅝	67⅞	67⅞	68
1,100	Do. pfd.	111⅜	111¼	111¼	111⅜
500	Va-Car Ch. Co.	54⅝	54⅝	53⅞	54
......	Va. Coal & Coke	....	....	69	71
1,500	Wabash	6½	6¼	6⅛	6⅜
3,200	Wabash pfd.	17⅜	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
......	Wells-Fargo Ex.	....	....	147	151
100	Western Union	79	79	78½	79
700	Westinghouse	67	66½	66	66½
100	Do. 1st pfd.	117½	117½	117½	118½
300	West. Md. com.	61	60⅞	60½	62
200	Do. pfd.	81	81	80	81½
200	W. & L. E.	4	4	3¾	4¼
500	Do. 1st pfd.	11½	11¼	11	11½
......	Do. 2d pfd.	....	....	5⅛	6
......	Wis. Central	....	....	52	56½
300	Goldfield Cons.	5	5	4⅞	5
34,500	Lehigh Valley	186⅛	184⅝	185⅛	185⅜
......	Jersey Central	....	....	318	320
8,900	Chino	27½	26⅞	26⅞	27
12,000	Ray Cons.	19	18⅝	18⅝	18¾
2,000	Miami	24¼	24	23⅞	24¼
1,100	N.Y.N.H&H.	136½	136¼	136¼	137
100	St.L.&S.F. Con.	23	23	23	25

Money opened, 3⅜ per cent.; high, 4 per cent.; low, 3½ per cent.; last loan, 3⅜ per cent.; closed, 3⅜ per cent.; ruling rate, 3⅜ per cent.

Total sales, 300,800.

New York Curb Stocks.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Trading in the copper stocks on the curb today was in moderate proportion with no special feature. Prices were firm with Inspiration the biggest trader. The market closed quiet.

The Boston market held its early advances and the afternoon session was characterized with pronounced strength all through the list. While there has been some recession from the high point, the undertone continues very strong at the close.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Am. Tob.	480	485	Mason Val.	11⅞	12
Braden Cop.	5⅝	6	Nev. Hills	2 5-16	2⅜
British Col.	4⅝	4⅞	Nev. Utah	⅛	¼
Butte Coal.	23¼	23⅞	S. Utah	⅛	⅝
Chi. Sub.	1 1-16	1⅛	Keystone	2⅝	2⅞
Con. Ariz.	¾	⅞	Iron Blos.	.100	105
Dolores	3	4	Colo.	26	30
Davis Daly	¾	⅞	Sioux Cons.	11	13
El Rayo	2	3	Belmont	7⅞	8⅛
First Nat.	1⅝	2	Fraction	13	14
Giroux	4½	5⅜	Jumbo Ex.	21	23
G. F. Daisy	13	15	Toul'me	3½	3⅞
Florence	60	62	W. Pac.	11½	13½
G. Can.	8⅝	8¾	W. Pac. 5s	88	90
Guggen.	180	185	McK. Dar.	1½	1⅝
Inspn.	10⅜	10½	Tonopah	7⅝	7½
I. C. Rub.	17½	19	Gif. Bel.	55	60
Kerr Lake	2⅝	3	West. Pow. com.	27	31
La Rose	3 15-16	4	Do. pfd.	55	58
M. of Amer.	3⅞	4⅛	Pac. Gas. & E. com.	49	50
Mont. Shos.	2	6			
Nipissing	6⅞	7	Do. pfd.	88½	89¼
Ohio Cop.	1	1 1-16	Dobie	⅞	1
Ray Cent.	1⅝	1⅞	Hal.	13	13¼
San Toy	35	40	Stew.	13	13¾
Stand. Oil	640	675	Man.	1¼	1⅜
Sup. & P.	15	20	Wett.	88	90
Un. Cop.	1⅛	1⅜	W. E.	76	79
U. Cop. Pr.	7	14	Weal.	80½	81¼
Yukon	3⅝	3¾	El Paso	65	70
Ely Con.	¼	⅝			

New York Bond List.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 27. — [Exclusive to The Times.] Following were closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Armour 4½s	91¼	91⅝
Amer. T. and T. conv. 4s	108½	109¼
Amn. Tob. 4s	92	92¼
Amn. Tob. 6s	118⅝	119
Atchison Gen. 4s	99	99¼
Atchison conv. 4s	106	106½
Atchison adj. 4s stamped	91¼	91¾
Atchison conv. 5s	108	109¼
A. T. L. Cons. 4s	95	96
A. C. L. "L. & N. coll." 4s	94½	95¼
Balt. & Ohio 3½s	91½	92⅛
Balt. & Ohio 4s	97⅞	98⅛
Brooklyn Rap. Transit 4s	83¼	83⅝
Can. Sou. 1st 5s Ext.	101⅞	101⅞
C. & O. 4½s	101¼	101⅞
C. B. & Q. joint 4s	96½	96⅝
C. B. & Q. Ills. 4s	99¼	100
C. B. & Q. General 4s	96¼	96⅞
Cent. Pac. first 4s	96⅝	96⅞
Chicago & East. Ills. 4s	80¼	81
Chicago, R. I. & P. ref. 4s	89	89¼
Do. Col. Trust 4s	72¼	72½
Colo. & Sou. first 4s	95⅝	96
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	....	90¼
Del. & Hudson conv. 4s	97½	97⅞
Erie first cons. P. L. 4s	89	89⅝
Int. Met. 4½s	79¼	79½
Japanese 4s	85	88
Japanese first 4½s	....	92½
Japanese second 4½s	....	91¼
L. & N. uni. 4s	99	99¼
M. K. & T. 4½s	97⅞	....
Mo. Pac. 4s	....	73¼
N. Y. Cent. 3½s	....	87⅜
N. Y. Cent. L. S. 3½s	80¼	....
N. Y. Cent. 4s	92⅛	95
N. Y. City 4½s of 1957	107⅛	107⅜
Norfolk & Western 4s	....	98¼
Norfolk & West. conv. 4s	108¼	108⅝
N. Y. Ont. & W. 4s	95	96
Nor. Pac. P. L. 4s	99⅝	100
Nor. Pac. 3s	68	69¼
Oregon Short Line 4s	94	94½
Oregon Ry. & Nav. 4s	95	95½
Penna. Ry. 4s of 1948	103	103½
Philippine Ry. 4s	....	84½
Reading gen. 4s	98	98½
Republic of Cuba 5s	102½	103
Sou. Pac. first ref. 4s	94⅝	94¾
Sou. Pac. col. 4s	91⅞	92
Southern Ry. 4s	79½	79⅞
St. L. & S. F. ref. 4s	80	80½
Union Pac. first 4s	100⅞	101
Union Pac. conv. 4s	102	103¼
Union Pac. ref. 4s	97	97⅞
U. S. Steel, S. F. 5s	101⅞	102
U. S. 2s registered	100	100¼
U. S. 2s coupon	100	100¼
U. S. 3s registered	101½	102½
U. S. 3s coupon	101½	102½
U. S. 4s registered	113⅝	113⅝
U. S. 4s coupon	113⅝	114½
United Railway S. F. 4s	69	69½
United Ry. St. L. 4s	77¼	80
Wabash first 4s	54½	54⅝
Western Union 4½s	96½	97
Westinghouse conv. 5s	92½	93½
Western Pac. 5s	87	89
Wis. Cent. 4s	92½	92⅞
West Shore 4s	101	101¼

METAL MARKETS

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard Copper, easy; Lake, 14¼@14½; Electrolytic, 14¼@14⅜; casting, 13¾@14.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, quiet; New York, 4.40@4.50; East St. Louis, 4.32½@4.37½.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 54⅝.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.
SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing bid and asked prices:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Asso. Oil	44	45	Record	325	400
Caribou	112½	—	Premier	40	50
Claremont	85	—	Republic	27	30
C. Mohawk	40	—	Soverign	—	18
Coal. Nat.	14	17	Silver Tip	—	75
Mar. "26"	90	—	S. W. & B.	16	—
Mid. Prem.	30	—	Sterling	140	—
McKit.	140	—	Sunset M.	—	1
New Penn.	—	53	Turner	—	1
Occidental	20	—	W. K. Oil	255	—
Palmer	79	—	Yellowstone	1	2
Peerless	—	475			

SALES—Afternoon session: 10 Asso. at 44¾.

SALT LAKE MINES. CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices on the leading mining stocks listed here:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Beck Tun.	14	15	New York	6⅝	7½
Black Jack	9¼	9⅝	Ohio Cop.	105	110
Ced. Tal.	3	3⅝	Nev. Hills	232½	237½
Colo.	27½	28½	S. Troughs	—	4½
Carisa	—	17¼	Sil. King	152½	162½
Col. Cons.	21	25	Sioux Cons.	11	12
Daly Judge	5⅝	—	Swansea	4	4½
G. Cent.	72	77	Uncle Sam	24½	27½
Iron Blos.	100	105	Victoria	49	55
May Day	19	20	Victor	5	5½
Mason Val.	11	—	Yankee	20	27

THE COPPER INDUSTRY.

[Special Service to The Times by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members N. Y. Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

George A. Ellis, Jr., of E. F. Hutton & Co., says: "I expect to see some higher prices for the coppers. The market for metal is hardening all the time, and it is firm at 14¼, and it looks as though it would work close to 15 cents. This will help the earnings, and stocks ought to be and are entitled to higher prices. Copper is quiet but firm at 14¼ cents; electrolytic, thirty days; lake is selling 14¼@14⅝ cents a pound. Consumers have bought freely of late, and are now inclined to hold back pending producers' December statements.

"Copper exports for the month to date have been very heavy, approximately 65,000,000 pounds having cleared up to the 27th. This is at the rate of about 77,500,000 pounds for the month, and domestic deliveries have been large."

The mining industry in Butte is in a very satisfactory and prosperous condition. Figures for the past three years show that the camp is outputing about 275,000,000 pounds of copper per annum. This production is being derived from the treatment of about 14,000 tons of ore per day, and it is good opinion that an additional 5000 tons of ore daily could be mined and shipped if maintained copper metal prices should warrant it, which increase in output would mean an increase in production over a twelve-month period of 100,000,000 pounds. Of the present 275,000,000 pounds output, about 240,000,000 comes from the Anaconda, the North Butte contributing about 22,000,000 pounds, and East Butte about 12,000,000 pounds.

The mines of Butte have furnished employment for about 10,000 people during the year, over 8000 of whom are in the employ of the Anaconda company. During the year twenty-two of the Anaconda mines have been in operation, as follows.

Mine—	Employees.	Depth.
Anaconda	100	2,400
Neversweat	175	2,500
St. Lawrence	450	2,300
Diamond	570	2,900
Mountain Cons.	420	2,300
High Ore	650	2,800
Mountain View	650	2,200
Pennsylvania	500	1,800
Leonard	550	1,800
West Colusa	375	1,800
East Colusa	90	900
Badger State	300	1,800
Silver Bow	130	1,000
West Gray Rock	175	1,300
Berkeley	140	1,000
Gagnon Original	700	2,500
Tramway	700	2,000
West Steward	550	2,300
Buffalo	275	1,500
Belmont	40	2,000
J. I. C.	70	1,500
Moonlight	275	600

The Butte hoist air plant has been placed in commission this year for supplying compressed air to several of the hoisting engines. There are three air compressors, each capable of supplying 7500 feet of air per minute, and at the present time hoisting is being done by compressed air at the Mountain View, Diamond, West Gray Rock, and High Ore mines. It is planned to equip all of the hoists with this system.

The number of electrically driven motors on the various underground levels is gradually being increased, this form of power gradually displacing ore hauled by horses and mules. The West Gray Rock, Berkeley and Gagnon shafts were each sunk 200 feet during the year, and the latter connected with the old Gagnon at the 2300-foot level for ventilation. The Original shaft was sunk 100 feet, and the Belmont connected by crosscut with the 2400-foot level of the Anaconda mine.

It is often observed by men in a position to speak advisedly that the mines of Butte have never been in a better condition physically. Some of the lowest levels of the mines are the richest ever opened, and while this is not true in the majority of instances, and although the ores now being sent to the smelters actually average somewhat lower in copper contents than formerly, new economies in the form of mining and smelting are constantly being added, so that it is now actually profitable to mine and smelt ore that had formerly been left in the mine as unprofitable rock. Today ore is being sent to the smelters and treated at a profit that averages a full 1 per cent. less in copper contents than the lowest grade of ore previously hoisted.

Millions of dollars are being spent in new and permanent improvements in the Butte mines, and with the coming of sustained "reasonable" prices for copper metal, the companies will be in a far better position than ever before to report increased earnings and get a more adequate return upon invested capital.

It is now expected that the new Mason Valley smelter will begin operations on December 28 or 29. This plant, which will treat the ores from the Mason Valley mine and also do a custom smelting business, is located at Thompson, Nev. With the entire 800-ton plant in commission in the neighborhood of 12,000,000 pounds of copper per year should be produced from the company's own ores. The recent 2½-cent. advance in the metal is, therefore, a matter of great importance to Mason Valley, as on the 12,000,000 pounds it represents an increase in earning power of $27,000 per annum, which on the company's small share capital of 254,000 shares (assuming all bonds converted) indicates something of over $1 per share. The placing in commission of the Mason Valley plant marks the advent of the second copper smelter in Nevada, the Nevada Consolidated's plant at Ely being the only other important smelter of this kind. Western Nevada and the Mason Valley district have long felt the need of a custom plant, as the ores have been subjected to a haul of more than 500 miles to the Salt Lake or San Francisco smelters. In addition to the profits which will be derived from the treatment of the company's own ores, the custom phase of the business should prove profitable.

Boston Copper Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Dec. 27.—Coppers continue to increase in strength and activity with the Lake coppers in the lead. The metal is strong at 14 cents, and will go higher after the first of the year. This boom in coppers is just starting and will go much further. Keep long of the coppers.

Following were closing quotations on the Boston Stock Exchange:

	—Close— Bid.	Ask.		—Close— Bid.	Ask.
Begole	1½	2	Giroux	4 9-16	4⅝
Chemung	5	5¼	G. Can.	8⅝	8¾
Hoton	4	4⅝	Helvetia	1⅛	1½
McKin.	1⅝	1⅞	Hancock	30	30¼
Nev. Doug.	2⅞	3	Isle Roy.	22½	23⅞
Oneco	3⅛	3⅝	Kew. Cop.	80	85
Raven	25	27	Lake Cop.	36½	37
Leaf	2	3	La Salle	5⅝	5¾
Amer. Pneu.	4½	4⅞	Majestic	43	45
Do. pfd.	16	16½	Miami	23⅞	24¼
Mass. Elec.	21⅞	22⅝	Mohawk	55½	56
Do. pfd.	95	95½	Michigan	2	2½
Mass. Gas	89⅝	90¼	Mass. Cop.	8⅞	9
Do. pfd.	92⅞	93¼	Mayflower	2⅝	2 15-16
United F.	182	183½	N. Butte	28¼	28⅜
Shoe Mach.	46½	47⅝	Nev. Cons.	19⅝	19⅞
Do. pfd.	27⅞	28	Nipissing	6 13-16	7
Wyandotte	1½	1⅞	Osceola	109	110
Zinc	25½	25⅝	Old Dom.	48	48½
Kerr Lake	2⅝	2⅞	Chino	26⅞	27
Live Oak	41½	42	G. F. Cons.	4⅞	5
Mason Val.	11⅞	12	Indiana	14¼	15
Ojibway	5⅝	5¾	Algomah	4⅝	5
Toul'me	3⅝	3⅞	Inspr.	10⅜	10½
Ahmeek	245	260	Old Colony	2½	2⅞
Adventure	6¼	6⅝	Parrot	14⅝	15
Ariz. Com.	2½	2¾	Quincy	75½	76
Arcadian	3⅝	4	Santa Fe	1⅛	1¼
Arnold	50	—	Shannon	10⅛	10⅜
Allouez	44	44½	Sup. & Bos.	3⅝	4
B. State Gas	23	24	Sup. Cop.	30⅝	30¼
Butte Coal.	23¼	23⅞	Tamarack	30	31
Centennial	18	18½	Utah Cop.	56⅝	56⅞
C. & Ariz.	63	63⅛	Utah Cons.	17⅛	17½
C. & Hecla	440	448	U. S. M. & S. com.	36½	37¼
Cons. Mer.	—	15			
Cop. Range	56	57	Do. pfd.	48⅞	49
Davis Daly	75	78	Victoria	2⅝	3⅛
Daly West	6⅝	7	Winona	6⅝	6¾
E. Butte	13¼	13⅝	Wolverine	102½	—
Elm River	20	50	N. Lake	7	7¼
Bohemia	3	3¼	Ohio	1	1⅛
Cactus	15	16	S. Lake	5½	6
Chief Cons.	65	70	Ray Cent.	1 9-16	1 11-16
Con. Ariz.	35	50	Swift	98½	99⅝
El Ray Cons.	18⅝	18⅞	Shattuck	19	19⅝
First Nat.	2⅛	2⅜	Yukon	3 5-16	3⅜
Franklin	11⅞	12⅛	Baltic	5⅛	5⅜
Granby	37	38	Ills. Creek	42	43
			Do. pfd.	85	85½

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, spot, firm; futures closed ⅜ net higher; December closed 97¼; May closed 1.03 3-16. Wool quiet. Hides, firm. Hops, firm. Petroleum, steady. Raw sugar, quiet; Muscovado, 89 test, 4.11; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.61; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3.86. Refined, steady.

Visible Wheat in Canada.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The visible supply of wheat in Canada, Saturday, December 23, was 11,860,000 bushels, an increase of 238,000 bushels.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wool—Lower; medium grades, combing and clothing, 20@21½; light fine, 17@19; heavy fine, 12@15; tub washed, 27@30.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Wheat, track prices: Club, 78@79; blue stem, 81@82; forty-fold, 79@80; red Russian, 77@78; valley, 79@80.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27.—[By A. P. Day Wire.] Close: Wheat, December, 7s. 4⅝d.; March, 7s. 4⅝d.; May, 7s. 2⅜d. Weather, cloudy.

OLD CONCERNS REVIVED.

Subsidiaries of Standard Oil Company Are Rehabilitated in Compliance with Order of Court.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The thirty-five separate companies which formerly composed the Standard Oil Company took up their work as individual entities today. While the dissolution of the executive department was accomplished on December 1, the gigantic task of organizing operating forces for the separate units of the old oil trust was not completed until last Saturday, and this week they begin their strife for business, deprived of all connection with their fond parent.

The task of organizing operating forces for each company was one of the most difficult that confronted the men in charge of the work. In order to accomplish it hundreds of employees have been shifted from one section of the country to another. Under the old combination system, it was possible to have the needs of the entire groups of companies looked after in certain territories by a single man or a small number of men. Now each company must have its own officials.

It will take some time to ascertain whether the dissolution plan will bring about the competition the government hopes for. According to independent oil men there has been no change in the general situation so far.

POISON KILLS EIGHTEEN.

Inmates of Berlin Municipal Night Shelter Victims of Spoiled Smoked Herring Diet.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Eighteen inmates of the Berlin municipal night shelter for the homeless died during the night from poisoning, and others are dying or are seriously ill. The number of destitute men who took refuge in the institution last night was 4414. Some of these brought with them scraps of extra food in order to give a Christmas touch to the frugal meal of bread and soup served to them by the authorities. The extra delicacy consisted in many cases of spoiled smoked herring, of which a large number partook. Shortly after midnight groans were heard from the dormitories and the officials found several men dying and others in convulsions.

The physicians attached to the institution at once administered emetics and telephoned for help from the city hospitals, but eighteen of the sufferers died in a short time.

The municipal night shelter of Berlin provides sleeping accommodations and a meal to any destitute person who seeks refuge there at night. In the course of the last twelve months it has given shelter to more than 1,000,000 persons. In the winter months the number of inmates amounts nightly to between 4000 and 5000 men, besides a large number of women, and the cost of providing for them is met by an appropriation out of the city funds.

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Arizona.

SPECULATING UPON TENURE.

Democrats of Arizona Are in a Quandary.

Consider Effect of Increasing Their Terms.

Gov. Sloan May be Appointed to Bench.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 26.—The Democracy of Arizona is pondering deeply upon the question of whether it will be the part of good politics to claim a three-year tenure of office for the partisans who lately were elected to be the first State officers of Arizona. There seem to be grounds for belief that the Legislature may continue until the end of 1914 the terms of all State officers elected, save possibly there is general belief that such action by a Democratic Legislature would result in serious damage to the party, through the rage of the other Democrats thus deprived of a chance to fight for a place at the pie counter. Judge A. C. Baker, formerly Chief Justice of Arizona and a member of the Constitutional convention, says it was the intent of the convention that the first officers elected should serve only until December 31, 1912. Whether that intent is plainly enough stated in the election act is a matter that may have to go to the courts.

There is speculation concerning the tenure of the two Senators-elect. This is a matter that must be decided by the United States Senate alone. New Mexico will be admitted before Arizona, and it is probable that the Senators from the former State will draw whatever long terms there may be available, this being their right by seniority and their privilege as Republicans. Thus there appears a prospect that one of the Arizona Senators will hold office only until March 4, 1913, and the second until 1915.

GOV. SLOAN FAVORED.

The opinion seems to be general that Gov. R. E. Sloan is to be appointed by President Taft to be Judge of the Federal Court in the Arizona district. Public announcement has been made also that if the nomination is made its confirmation will be fought by a couple of Northern Arizona attorneys, who will seek to enlist the support of the Democratic and Insurgent Republican Senators. While their opposition is said to be based on personal grounds, the argument mainly used in the attack is to be the attitude of the Governor as a strong Republican of the old type, whose support of President Taft has throughout been sincere. Announcement has been made also in a local Democratic paper that confirmation of any Republican will be fought in the Senate, to delay a permanent appointment until after the next Presidential election, when it is hoped that a Democrat may be in the executive chair.

Selim Michelson, member of the Executive Committee of the National Democratic Committee, has seriously started a movement to bring the Democratic National convention to Phoenix. It is hardly expected that his efforts will be successful, but it is understood that he has secured promise of a complimentary vote for Phoenix from twelve western States, and that the National Committee will be fully advised at its meeting January 8, that Phoenix is on the map.

TO BRIDGE THE GILA.

It is probable that at the next Legislature efforts will be made to secure construction of a bridge across the Gila River at Winkleman. If this is done it will inure very largely to the benefit of Winkleman, which is the distributing point for the great mining districts along the lower San Pedro River, including Mammoth. It is argued also that on the south side of the Gila River is an even better site for a town than at Winkleman, and there is a probability that in event the bridge is constructed a large part of the town may be moved across the river.

The Elks of Phoenix and Tucson have furnished Christmas boxes to about 150 poor families in each city, the addresses being furnished by physicians, teachers and others who are in a position to know of the need existing. In Phoenix toys were added and holiday joy thus was brought to many homes.

The weather for the past few days has been the coldest known for many years. Yesterday morning there was the rare sight of a snowfall, though the flakes were few and melted as they fell. Snow has been known all over Arizona, however, save in Lower Gila and Salt River valleys. Last night the thermometer at the Phoenix Weather Bureau registered down to 22. The temperature was much higher than this in the orange district, yet the young growth was nipped in most of the groves. The greater part of the crop had been picked, hence there was a relative light loss on this account.

Not for years have ducks been so plentiful in Arizona as at present. The birds have been driven southward by the severe weather elsewhere.

REFUSAL TO PAY TAXES.

GROSS REVENUE CURTAILED.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

CLIFTON (Ariz.) Dec. 26.—The gross collection of taxes in the new county of Greenlee has been much lessened by the refusal of the Arizona Copper Company to pay its assessment. The tax due from this corporation is $37,000. This amount is alleged by the company to be exorbitant, and a proffer has been made of $27,000 as a compromise. This offer has been refused and the matter will be settled in the courts.

The largest taxpayers in the county are the Arizona Copper Company, Detroit Copper Company and Shannon Copper Company. These corporations acting jointly have employed F. A. Sanders to audit the county records, presumably as a basis upon which to compute what may be considered a proper tax assessment. Clerk W. O. Wheatly of the Board of Supervisors refused Mr. Sanders the right to make abstracts from his records. In this decision he has just been reversed by District Judge Lewis at Globe, who has sent a writ of mandamus in which is recited that any citizen has the right to make an inspection of any records in any office, subject to the convenience and working hours of the official in charge.

AT THE PIE COUNTER.

Greenlee county, which showed itself in the Democratic column in the late election, is now looking for a share of the loaves and fishes under a Democratic State government. At a late meeting of the Democrats in Clifton, indorsement was given local men for positions as assistant superintendent of the State Prison, secretary of the Live Stock Sanitary Board, sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives and State Engineer, as well as indorsement of a local candidate who wants to go to West Point.

Eusilio Galdo, a Spanish miner, was killed Monday morning by Bernardino Sparza, a fellow-workman, who shot Galdo down as he was going to work near a tunnel of the Shannon mine at Metcalf. Sparza is a Mexican and the difficulty appears to have been wholly a matter of race prejudice. A considerable number of Spaniards are now at work in the mines, where they are welcomed for their steadier habits and greater industry, as compared with the Mexicans. At the funeral there was an attendance of all the Spanish miners of the district, about 200 in all, well-dressed and well-behaved. A reward of $100 has been offered for the apprehension of Sparza.

Three new school buildings are to be erected by the school district board of Clifton, the three costing $40,000, which sum has been voted by the taxpayers of the district.

A NEW ONE EVERY DAY.

Austrian Parts With His Savings to Brace of Slick Strangers Who Work a Clever Bunco Game on Him.

Visions of suddenly acquired wealth as a reward for arresting a supposed noted criminal with a large price upon his head were rudely swept away last night when Mike Duich, a recent arrival from Austria, found himself alone in Central Park with his savings, amounting to $180, stolen by two slick strangers.

When he arrived at the Central Station to report his loss Duich admitted there were many things he did not know, among others the number of the house on Castelar street where he has been living since his advent in Southern California.

The newcomer met a fellow-countryman, yesterday afternoon, who proposed a walk and at the entrance to Central Park the new-found friend was almost paralyzed to see a noted criminal sitting on one of the benches. Hastily explaining that $5000 would be paid by the government for the arrest of the alleged malefactor, the stranger immediately grabbed the third man and started towards the station-house, when the prisoner offered to pay $1000 to each of his two captors if given his libery. Duich said that he thought it would be all right to let the dangerous man go, especially when the latter produced a large roll of bills to make good his offer.

In the meantime Duich was induced to "deposit" $180 as evidence of good faith after which he was sent to a near-by store to buy cigars for the trio. When he returned his two companions had disappeared.

FEARS FOR THE FUTURE.

Woman Takes Strychnine and Dies Before Assistance Arrives—Act is Committed Without Warning.

Her heart heavy with misgivings for the future at a time when her friends were giving expression to Yuletide joys, Mrs. Patrick S. Lockridge, aged 50 years, and wife of a barber living at No. 2814½ South Central avenue, committed suicide last night by swallowing nearly an ounce of strychnine.

The woman died before medical attention could be summoned, and later was sent to Booth & Boyleson's undertaking rooms, pending an investigation by the Coroner.

According to information received by the police, Mr. and Mrs. Lockridge had been living happily together in the rear of the husband's place of business, and as far as known there were no clouds of domestic infelicity. A son of Mrs. Lockridge is said to be living near Sawtelle, but when called upon by the authorities after his mother's death he could throw no light on the case except that the woman entertained groundless fears for the future.

About 6:30 o'clock last night Mrs. Lockridge entered her husband's shop and displayed a small bottle containing a whitish powder.

"Do you know what that is?" she asked, and upon receiving a negative answer, she re-entered her own apartment without vouchsafing any information.

About ten minutes later Mrs. Lockridge ran into the shop once more and sank unconscious into one of the chairs.

THEY SAY IT'S MISTAKE.

Young Men Caught in Act of Taking Automobile Tell Police Charge Against Them is Erroneous.

While in the act of stealing an automobile in order to take a joy ride, two young men giving their names as Gus McGinnis and E. D. Andrews, were arrested last night by C. H. Pratt, the owner of the machine, who arirved in time to prevent the lads from getting away with his property.

The automobile had been left standing at the corner of Second and Hill streets while Pratt was calling. Upon his return he was astonished to discover the two young men in the machine ready to start away, and as the alleged joy-riders could give no explanation of their act, they were held until the arrival of an officer.

Pratt is the sales manager of the Western Empire Verdugo Association, and will appear in Police Court to prosecute the youthful prisoners this morning. Neither Andrews nor McGinnis would make any statement to the police last night except that the charge against them is a mistake.

For the second time in less than four months, a five-passenger touring car belonging to E. J. Craig of No. 2823 West Eighth street was stolen last night from in front of the First Christian Church, Eleventh and Hope streets.

TEACHERS' UNION.

At the meeting of the Los Angeles Graded Union of Sunday-school Teachers yesterday, Rev. L. A. Gould presented a model missionary programme on India, Berean Hall having been attractively decorated for the occasion with articles illustrative of life in that country. The evening union will meet on Tuesday evening next week, instead of Monday, in the Young Women's Christian Association building. That the new year may start well a large attendance of teachers is desired.

SEEK AN INJUNCTION.

Reinhart J. Busch and others, doing business as the Busch-Hartmann Aluminum Repair and Brazing Works, filed an action in equity in the United States Circuit Court yesterday against J. Jausch, seeking to restrain him from infringing upon a patent of a certain alloy, alleged to be property of the orators.

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ANOTHER "J. B" JOB.

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return here. He professes to have no information that will be of use to the Federal investigators.

Almost a Habit.

FRANKLIN AGAIN HELD TO ANSWER.

SECOND BRIBERY PRELIMINARY ENDS LIKE FIRST.

Ex-Head of McNamara Defense Detectives, Charged With Attempted Corruption of a Juror, Is Bound Over Without Argument—Newspaper "Interview" Denied by Ford.

Bert H. Franklin, former detective of Clarence Darrow, and accused on two separate complaints of bribing jurors in the recent McNamara trial, was held to answer to the Superior Court by Justice Young yesterday. This second charge of bribery rests largely on the testimony of Robert F. Bain, the first juror to be sworn in to try J. B. McNamara, murderer and dynamiter. In view of a late Supreme Court decision which holds that a bribe taker is an accomplice of the one giving a bribe and that his testimony alone is not sufficient to warrant a conviction, there was some legal doubt as to the sufficiency of the Bain case. At any rate, ex-Gov. Gage, counsel for the accused, was prepared to argue the law points.

Instead of doing so he read part of an interview in a morning paper in which Deputy Dist.-Atty. Ford was quoted as saying that he might take the case before every justice in the county if not satisfied with the ruling of each preceding one. The defendant's lawyer construed this to mean that Ford was intending to have Franklin rearrested even though Justice Young held the evidence insufficient to warrant holding the defendant to answer in the Superior Court.

Attorney Gage declared that under the circumstances it would be useless to put in a defense if the District Attorney planned to harass his client with other proceedings based on the Bain confession.

Justice Young expressed regret that anything should be interposed to terminate the preliminary examination without giving the defendant's counsel an opportunity to be heard. In view of the evidence presented and in the absence of any testimony or argument on behalf of the defense, the justice stated he would hold the defendant to answer in the higher court. As Franklin had already furnished $10,000 cash bail in the bribery case based on the Lockwood disclosures, the court did not impose additional bonds.

Ford told the court that he had never authorized the publication of any statement such as appeared in the newspaper and that he wanted the court to know that he entertained the highest respect for the law and for the bench. Justice Young replied that he felt sure that Ford had never authorized any such statement and that the whole affair was published without knowledge on the part of the prosecution.

After adjournment Attorney Gage said he would use every legal means to quash the informations and that he intended to put up the best fight he knew how on behalf of his client. He denied the report that Franklin intends to plead guilty and throw himself upon the mercy of the court. It is believed if such a course were pursued, the District Attorney would oppose probation unless Franklin told where he got the money he is alleged to have received for the corruption of jurors in the McNamara case.

PASSENGERS JUMP TO SAFETY.

Leave Their Seats When Cars Collide at Street Intersection, Result of Mistaken Signals.

Mistaken signals were responsible for a collision between two cars at the intersection of Hill and Fifth streets last night. For a few moments a panic among the passengers was threatened, a number jumping from the cars.

The accident occurred when a Pacific Electric car, bound for Santa Monica, attempted to cross the tracks as a Santa Fe depot car crossed. The steps of the latter car were torn off and the front end of the Santa Monica car was damaged.

Restoring Hardened Rubber.

Everyone is familiar with the very undesirable change to which rubber is subject on prolonged standing, such articles as rubber tires becoming hardened and brittle. According to a note published in the Motor World, there is a simple remedy for this trouble, provided it has not gone too far. This consists in immersing the article for a short time in an alkaline solution composed of one part of ammonia to two of water. As an example of the efficiency of this process, an old bicycle tube which seemed beyond restoration was found quite fit for use after half an hour's immersion in such a solution. In explanation of the effect it is supposed that there is a tendency for acids to be formed in the rubber, and that these acids are neutralized by the alkaline solution. On the strength of this, it is suggested that when tubes or other rubber articles are stored, a small quantity of quick lime or ammonium carbonate be included in the wrapping, though it could be kept from actual contact with the rubber. Periodic washing with ammonia and water is also suggested as a preventive.

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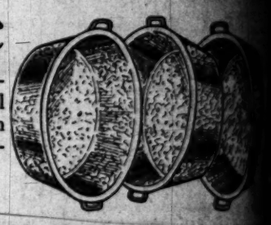

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Adolpho, genius and master of the accordion, native of Italy, will be the headliner at the Adolphus Theater next week in a repertoire of native Italian tunes, interpreted through the medium of his instrument.

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A. A. Archer of No. 331 Westlake avenue, reported to the police last night that he had been held up and robbed by three men at First street and Lake Shore drive. The victim was ordered to hold up his hands while one of the robbers went through his pockets, taking a watch and change.

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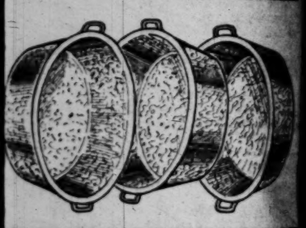

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Our Chicago correspondent states that it is almost a certainty that the next battle in which Jack Johnson takes part will be staged at Sydney, Australia, under the auspices of Promoter Hugh McIntosh. The champion has received a telegram from the Australian offering him a guaranty of $30,000, with a liberal percentage, if he would agree to meet Sam McVey.

Johnson declared that a match with McVey looked the most probable. He declared it was all the same to him where he fought and who he met, so long as he received his price, $30,000. If the Australian offer is accepted, the $30,000 must be deposited in some reliable bank before Johnson leaves Chicago.

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Al Kaufmann also hurled a challenge at the champion, while word was received from Jack Curley, manager of Jim Flynn, asking Johnson to hold off from making any matches until Curley arrives on Sunday.

It is the champion's opinion that Curley is trying to interest some western mining men in his scheme of matching Flynn and Johnson.

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Jack said emphatically that he would not fight in either San Francisco or Los Angeles. He still remembers the time he was put in jail in San Francisco for automobile speeding, and believes he would be arrested on the slightest provocation in either of the Coast cities.

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Johnson would rather meet McVey than Langford. He does not fear the Boston "tar baby."

"I have no reason," said Johnson to our Chicago man, "as McVey has beaten him and proved himself the better boxer."

The champion wants McVey because he will prove a bigger drawing card in Australia.

"I do not think Langford would be a star drawing card," said Johnson. "Although there was a large crowd when I fought Burns, I do not think Langford has the same attractive powers."

Dickering.

JACK BARRY MAY LEAD SEATTLES.

McCREDIE CONSIDERING OFFER FROM DUGDALE.

Proposition on Foot for Sheehan to Buy Interest in Tacoma Club And Take Up Reins—His Reinstatement by National Commission Opens All Leagues to Him.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That Jack Barry may lead Dugdale's Seattle baseball team in 1912 and that Tommy Sheehan will land at the head of the Tacoma club, is a report current in local baseball circles. Dugdale is openly dickering for Barry, promising that we will be given the post of captain if Seattle lands. McCredie is considering Dugdale's offer.

A proposition is on foot for Sheehan to buy an interest in the Tacoma club and go in as manager of the team. Walter McCredie received a letter from President Ebbets, of the Brooklyn team, yesterday, informing him that Sheehan had been reinstated by the National Commission and was free to play in any league in the country.

As Brooklyn held claim to the player when he jumped to the California outlaw league, when Sheehan was reinstated, it was with the proviso that he would be compelled to play in the Coast League until 1912. There is little doubt that Ebbets will sell Sheehan and if the Tacoma deal goes through, Sheehan's future will have become fixed. Sheehan also has an offer to manage the Victoria team and may take the berth instead of the one with Tacoma.

FRISCO'S FINEST FIGHT AGAINST GAMBLING EVIL

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Suppression of betting on the outcome of prize fights or of boxing matches held in this city is the purpose of a crusade started today by the police department. Three men, Joseph Sweeney, Walter Horner and William Caravdo, were arrested and accused of having placed bets on a participant in a recent fight. Other warrants making similar accusations have been issued.

It was announced tonight from police headquarters that the Otis-Walker anti-gambling law would be strictly enforced from now on.

"Where's Joe Rivers?"

This is Frankie Conley as he will come out of his corner New Year's Day on the search for Joe Rivers. When he finds him he says he will never lose him until the sad, sad story is all over.

Kennedy Outclassed.

WHITE HOPE MORRIS WINNER ON POINTS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Carl Morris, the Oklahoma engineer, gained another rung on the white hope ladder by decisively outpointing Tom Kennedy, the New York heavyweight, in a ten-round bout at the Empire Athletic Club tonight.

Morris outfought Kennedy in eight rounds of the bout.

In the general opinion of those at the ringside, neither of the white hopes showed any advancement tonight toward their aspirations of some day wresting the world's championship from Jack Johnson. The heavier Oklahoma man, weighing 228 pounds as compared with Kennedy's 215, was considered too slow and Kennedy's much praised footwork proved a disappointment.

Kennedy had so much the worst of it in the latter rounds that many of the spectators shouted to Referee Dan Tome to stop the bout, but he declined to do so.

The first round was even with Morris's best blows, lefts and rights to the body, and Kennedy's left jabs to the face. Morris rushed in in the second with a left to the face, followed by lefts and rights to the head and stomach.

Morris kept forcing through the third round with lefts and rights to the body and a left to the face. Kennedy swung his left to Morris's face and the jaw, but it was Morris's round.

Morris was the aggressor again in the fourth, but in the fifth honors went to Kennedy. After taking a right and left to the head Kennedy came back and staggered Morris to the ropes with a right to the jaw.

Morris came back in the sixth with severe punishment for Kennedy by short arm jolts, half uppercuts and a straight left on the nose. From this on, Morris was all over his man with Kennedy fighting back as gamely as he could.

The bout ended with both infighting. They clinched several times and in the breakaways Morris got in the more telling blows. The only damage Morris showed was a puffing of his lips, while Kennedy was bleeding profusely at the nose and was severely battered.

No Chance for Trade.

There is no possible chance for McCredie to trade Krueger for Carlisle with Hogan for Hogan declares he would not trade even, even though some of the knockers do think Carlisle is a bone-head. Hogan says he does not think Krueger is worth more than the draft price of $600.

Trying for New York.

Bill Aldridge, the well-known local sport who spends the greater part of his time at Venice, has made application for the position of trainer of the New York Americans under Harry Wolverton

Fighters Fit.

I'LL GET HIM---CONLEY; READY FOR RIOT---JOE.

"WHEN I come out of my corner on New Year's Day, I will be hunting for Rivers, and I will find him three-quarters of the way across the ring, coming out of his own corner. And when I find him I will not let go of him long enough for him to get his breath until the fight is over.

"That first fight was a pink tea affair to what this New Year's one is to be. I loafed for several rounds in that first fight, but next Monday there will be nothing doing but fight."—FRANKIE CONLEY.

BY GREY OLIVER.

If any local sport doubts the condition of Joe Rivers he should take a trip to Venice and watch him in one day's workout. If there are any ifs and ands after that trip these will be dispelled, for Rivers is right, apparently.

Yesterday afternoon I saw him box four rounds with Freddie Welsh and he almost held his own with Freddie. This is saying a great deal for there is no better boxer in the country and no one more tricky. What he does not know about the boxing game no one need to work on and yet Rivers was right there with him.

They boxed four fast rounds of three minutes each and every one present thought it was a real fight. Neither held back a moment and they slammed in as if they were fighting for the championship. Rivers made a fine showing and he certainly indicated that he is there. Welsh, of course, out-jabbed him but he did the same to Abe Attell and this proves that Welsh is faster than Rivers.

Joe showed that he is just about as strong in the infighting and is well able to take care of himself when it comes to swapping punches. He is fast on his feet and was willing at all times to mix things with Welsh when Freddie stung him. Both ended the four rounds slightly winded but these rounds were as fast as any one would care to look at.

Quite a distinguished lot of scrappers were gathered in the boxing-room for in addition to Welsh and Rivers, Ad Wolgast and Kid Dalton were on hand and three newspaper men from this city and one from San Francisco.

Rivers began his day's work with a run to Playa Del Rey and back, which is a distance of about six miles. After this he kicked around in the sand on the beach for several hours and about 2:30 o'clock began his gym work.

He led off with three minutes of pulley work and then with a rest of a minute, skipped the rope for three minutes. Another rest of one minute and then came bag punching for three minutes without stopping. Then came more bag punching and pulley work and finally Rivers got into the ring with Welsh.

There was applause after the finish of every round which shows what the sports thought of the fast work shown. Welsh took the lead in every round because he is heavier and a better boxer than Rivers but Joe was willing and gave just as good as he got in the punching line.

Following the fast and interesting bout with Welsh Rivers took on Kid Dalton for several rounds and they tore into it in a slashing manner. Dalton is a long distance from being a bad one and he made Rivers step lively to keep out of danger. Battling Chico, who has been working with

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BY R. A. WYNNE.

There is a grim seriousness evident out at Doyle's training camp that presages trouble for a young man by the name of Joe Rivers on New Year's Day.

Frankie Conley, the little battering-ram, surrounded by his two staunch supporters and advisers, Harry Gilmore, his manager, and Ben Smith, his trainer, has wrought himself into the greatest form, physically, of his history.

He is literally as tough as an oak knot. He is as light on his feet as a ballet dancer and as eager for the battle to begin as a debutante for her coming out party.

Conley is at the point in his career where he realizes that he must win to move any way but downwards, and in his own mind he has already won next Monday's battle with Rivers.

With the utmost ease he waded into Harry Corbett for several rounds yesterday and had that sturdy little fellow looking for an opening in the ring through which to jump. Then he took on Jimmy Giblin, the ex-blacksmith who is to meet Bobbie Waugh next Monday, and carried the battle to his heavier opponent with such tremendous enthusiasm that his seconds were forced to caution both of the participants to go easy and not make the mistake of thinking that the day was next Monday.

Conley has fitted himself for this battle with Rivers carefully and wisely and has planned to start the ferocious attacks for which he is famous at the tap of the gong and to never let up until he has Rivers's measure.

Conley says that in the last fight with Rivers he did not go his fastest until too late and that if he had started out with the first round at his top speed he would have won. New Year's Day he will not make this mistake. His plans are to meet Rivers as he comes out of his corner and never let the little Mexican get far enough away from him to get his breath until the fight is over.

To those who saw the last Rivers-Conley fight this seems to be almost an impossibility. It is figured that both boys went as fast as possible from the tap of the gong and that the battle could not have been faster by any means.

Harry Gilmore, manager for Conley, has received several good offers for Conley following the Rivers fight, but has postponed accepting any of them, awaiting the result of the New Year's contest. The Metropolitan Athletic Club of Salt Lake has offered Conley a match with Tally Johns for the latter part of January and the club in the same city, controlled by Willard Bean, offers Jimmy Reagan up as a sacrifice to Conley if he will come to that city during the next month.

New Orleans promoters have been importuning Gilmore to bring Conley to that city and meet the pick of their home favorites. All of these will

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Jimmy Giblin,

Who is banking all he has in the world on his ability to whip Bobbie Waugh next Monday at Vernon. Should he fail it is a quick curtain for Jimmy and a long and weary walk back home

Rugby.

NEW YEAR'S GAME PLANNED.

Poly High to Play Pick Stanford Men.

Best Exponents of English Sport in Line.

Contest Will Keep Men in Trim for Next Year.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

The Poly High School Rugby men started hard work yesterday afternoon on Bovard for the game New Year's with the picked team from Stanford. "Truck" Manning, captain of last season's U.S.C. squad, is coaching the Mechanics and says that they are faster than ever.

The picked team from Stanford does not mean that the men are the regular varsity players of the university, but it does mean that they are players who have made good at the university within the past two seasons. At the close of the football season in the North this fall, there was a great Rugby movement in Stanford to develop players for next year, in the hope that a team could be turned out to beat California next fall. With this object in view every man on the Cardinal campus turned out and joined some team in the league, now the squad, which will meet the Poly men New Year's, is composed of the best from this aggregation.

In most cases, the men who will be on the Stanford team are graduates of Polytechnic High School, so the team will be something of an alumni affair. However, not all on the squad claim Poly as their prep school home. There is Ted Giessler, who has made good with a bang at Stanford, coming from the Los Angeles High School, as is Louie Cass, the great half of the Cardinal varsity.

Cass had some hard luck this season before the big game with California. He was out of the running with a badly sprained ankle three weeks before the game with California. He got all right again and in practice about one week before the crucial test had the bad member of his frame go under on him. He was ruled to the hospital and when the day of the game rolled around he was seemingly all right and was picked to play halfback against the "Bears."

In the warming-up practice he felt the old hurt go weak and went to the coach and gave up the place on the varsity along with his chance of winning the "S." This showed a wonderful college spirit and Cass was made a big man on the campus. Now the ankle is O.K. once more and Louie is anxious to get into a really fast game this season.

He wants to be in on the effort to put Rugby at the head of the intercollegiate sports in the South, as this movement New Year's would indicate.

All the men who are going to play on the Stanford team are at the present writing in the city on their Christmas vacations and will work out for the game at Fiesta Park.

In the practice with the Poly men yesterday, Coach Manning kept the backfield busy, trying to get a little more team work rapped into them. Team work in the men behind the line was the only feature that was at all lacking in the Mechanic team this season. The scrum is one of the best in the South, as was shown by its work in the games with U.S.C. and L. A. High School.

Coach Noble of the High School on the hill, said when the season was over, that if there had been more team work in the Poly backfield, none of the teams in the South could have slipped anything over on them. As it was the Poly team beat the U.S.C. varsity twice in the four-game series with the Cards and when they ran up against the Los Angeles High School the blue and white warriors had a hard time.

After watching the team through the regular season Manning knows the spots which need bostering up and will work most of the time, from now until the day of the game, with the backfield, trying for a little more unity. The Poly team is fast and is composed of a number of stars and can be counted on to put up a great battle. Not only for the English game, but to beat the men from the North. Most of these players, as has been stated before, come from the ranks of the Poly men, but just for this reason alone, any of the boys now on the High School team would willingly give a leg to hand them a terrible defeat.

Any way you figure it the game should be a close one, the Poly men will have the advantage of more team work, while the star team from the North will be made up of players more on the individual line. Man for man, the visiting team is a better aggregation, but this feature will be offset by the fact that the Poly men have been playing together for two seasons.

The personnel of the team which will do battle with the locals might interest some of the fans, who will see many names which have been famous in the prep school ranks of the South and who are now making the welkin ring in college circles.

The team will be picked from the following: Burris, Hanwalt, Dutton, Hendrickson, the Berkeley breakaway on the California second team; Schwartz, the heavy U.S.C. scrummer; Bloser, Louie Cass, Al Frank; the last two named are varsity stars of the Stanford team. To go on with the list we find Barton, Clawson, Hall, Thourbourn, Ned Manning, Fife, Monk Pierce and a few others who have not yet put in an appearance in the South.

Four of Poly Rugby Stars,
Who will do battle with Stanford's picked team New Year's on Bovard Field.

Washington's Birthday.

A.A.U. TO STAGE BIG MEET AT BOVARD FIELD.

THE Southern California track and field championships of the South Pacific branch of the National A.A.U. have been definitely settled. At a meeting of the local Track and Field Committee last night at the L.A.A.C. clubrooms final arrangements were made to pull off the meet at Bovard Field, February 22.

Besides the regular track and field events, the Venice-to-Los Angeles road race, held by the Los Angeles Athletic Club, will be finished at the meet, the runners going two laps on the track to the end of the race.

The committee apportioned the work last night and everything looks bright for the biggest meet of the season. Letters will be sent to every school and college in the southern section of the A.A.U. and a big entry list is expected. Outside of the regular championship competition Mr. Ryerson will have charge of the grammar school relay meet, which will be run off in four classes. The first class will be for eighty-pound athletes, the next for ninety-pound boys, the third for 100, and the last open to all over the century mark in the matter of pounds.

Pat Higgins will have charge of two special novelty stunts which will be put on to furnish amusement for the crowd during the intervals between events.

"Pras" Halbriter, who has just finished managing the great football game of Christmas Day, will have charge of most of the financial end of the affair and, with Chairman Eling, will attend to all the awarding of prizes. Eling will have general supervision of the meet.

James Donahue will appoint men in all the southern athletic centers to look out for entries in the meet. O. R. Bird will act as secretary and treasurer of the meet, and all entry blanks and fees must come to him at the sporting desk of The Times.

As to the meet itself, there is every reason to show that it will be one of the best of the season. Owing to the fact that next spring will be the season for the Olympic games, track and field sports will take the center of the athletic stage all over the world, and in Southern California, where everything is set for the best results along this line, all the athletes are taking a great deal of interest in the cinder stuff.

This will be the first meet of the season where there will be any real open competition. The colleges of the Southern Conference are expecting to enter their strongest teams to strive for the team trophy and the relay cup, which will be offered by the association.

Besides the college teams there will be good aggregations sent in from the two local athletic clubs. Then as there is a trophy up for the athlete winning the greatest number of points in individual work, a number of star all-around men are expected to be on the field the day of the meet.

The matter of officials has been left till the next meeting of the committee, but college men will be selected, who have had practical experience in the running off of meets of this nature.

Letters and matters concerning the meet will at once be sent from the secretary's office to all the schools and clubs in the South. The entries for the meet will close February 15, one week before the day of the meet.

TAME MILLING.
CAPONI DEFEATED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 27.—After two and a half rounds of tame and uninteresting milling, Jim Flynn of Pueblo, whipped across two effective punches and Tony Caponi went down for the count of ten.

Caponi was outclassed from the moment he stepped into the ring and was totally unable to hold Flynn at long range. Neither man showed speed and not an effective blow was struck until near the close of the second round when a left hook to Caponi's jaw staggered the middleweight and sent him to his corner looking worried.

Flynn never was forced to extend himself and did not do so. He was fat and palpably in poor condition, but he outweighed Caponi nearly twenty pounds, and the lighter man's blows, which had little steam behind them, did not serve to check his steady advance.

After a clinch at the opening of the third round, Flynn dropped Caponi with a left to the jaw. As he rose, a right jolt to the jaw dropped him for the final count.

There was a storm of hisses as Caponi was assisted to his corner.

Not In It.

BRITISH CHAMP EASIEST GOTCH HAS TACKLED.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 27.—Frank Gotch, world's wrestling champion, defeated Alec Monroe, the English champion, in straight falls here tonight. The first fall came in twelve minutes, and the second in eight minutes five seconds, each with a half-Nelson and crotch hold.

It was the easiest match Gotch has had for several years. The Englishman displayed but scant knowledge of the game, and Gotch, it seemed to the spectators, merely played with him.

Of his retirement, Gotch said, after the match:

"There was a certain brook of poetic tradition that rambled on forever, but human flesh doesn't wear as well as water. I feel that I am probably better now than ever before in my career, and I want to quit while I am at my best. I don't want to continue wrestling, grow stale and let some foreigner beat me."

Gotch said he though Mahmout, the Turk, the greatest of foreign wrestlers. Pederson, the Dane, he said, looked the next best.

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FOREIGN FLYERS SHOW INTEREST.

DOMINGUEZ MEET MAY GET FRENCH BIRDMEN.

Beaumont and Vedrines Wire Local Promoters for Information As to Cost of Shipping Their Sky Craft from France to Los Angeles. Managers Elated Over Outlook.

European air adventurers have begun to take notice of the international aviation meet scheduled for Dominguez Field January 20 to 28. Just eleven days ago the entry blanks and prize lists were mailed from Los Angeles addressed to the famous flyers of the Old World. Last night General-Manager Dick Ferris received two cablegrams from Europe, one from Issy, and the other from Pau, France, asking that information as to the expense of shipping from New York to Los Angeles and return, be cabled.

The message from Issy was from Andrae Beaumont, winner of the three great cross-country events of 1911. Beaumont won the Paris to Rome, the European circuit, and the around England events, and since the retirement of Paulhan and Bleriot is looked on as the flying brains of France.

From Pau, the village near which the Bleriot flying grounds are located, Vedrines the "mad flyer," cabled Mr. Ferris for the same information as requested by Beaumont. It took the enterprising Ferris less than a minute to realize that if he can secure the entries of Vedrines and Beaumont, the coming meet will show the most sensational series of aerial duels ever known. Ferris sent back a cable to each, offering to pay half the shipping expense from France.

Beaumont's real name is Conneaut and he is a French army officer. His father is a millionaire and the son received a most thorough technical education. He is a skillful, scientific, careful aviator, mixing brains with his gasoline. Vedrines is exactly the opposite from his rival, being the son of a poor man and without education of the technical order. When he flies it is with a daring and reckless abandon which earned for him the reputation of being Europe's mad aviator. He fairly tears holes in the air and is a most sensational performer. He is a great favorite of Louis Bleriot and the great builder of air craft has given him the best and fastest machines turned out from his immense factory.

So democratic is Vedrines that he recently refused to accept the congratulations of an official nature from the King of Spain during the Paris to Madrid race. He is apparently as erratic in the air as he is on land, and his loop-the-loop stunts have long been looked on as the most chance-taking evolutions attempted by any of the French airmen.

"If we cannot have our 1910 aviation idol, Louis Paulhan," said Mr. Ferris last night, "we hope to get at least the more intrepid Vedrines, or the brainy and skillful Beaumont. We simply will not allow these French air kings to slip away from us if gold or other tangible inducements will bring them here.

"The cables from Vedrines and Beaumont are the best Christmas presents the aviation committee could have received."

Booming the Game.

TENNIS ASSOCIATION WANTS CLUBHOUSE AND COURTS.

A MOVEMENT is on foot among the members of the Southern California Tennis Association to enlarge the sphere of that organization to embrace a field club with an established field of courts and a series of monthly handicap tourneys.

The subject has been broached several times as it has been recognized that with the great number of tennis players in Los Angeles and vicinity there was a crying need for a central organization active enough and with the proper facilities to take charge of the game and arrange the greatly desired monthly handicap tournaments.

Heretofore the efforts have died for the want of support or from a spirit of indifference among the players themselves. With the revival that has come in tennis during the last year especially in Southern California, the need for a central field of courts where the multitude of good players could meet in friendly contest has been felt keenly.

The present Southern California Tennis Association is principally a technical body with no headquarters and no courts. It embraces among its officials the best players in the State and the men who are properly at the head of the tennis game.

The organization needs a headquarters and especially is the need of a small clubhouse and field of courts felt. The members of the association are playing on courts scattered to the four points of the compass and only when a tournament is given do they get together and have the benefit of contesting among themselves.

It is understood that a meeting will be held shortly with the object in view of furthering the establishment of central courts and a clubhouse.

GOLF NOTES.

[Special Correspondence of The Times.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 27.—The golf schedule of the Redlands Country Club for this season has just been issued by Raymond Hornby, J. O. Riddel and A. C. Cameron, the members of the Greens Committee. The schedule includes the various matches planned for the Southern California Golf League, which embraces the Los Angeles Country Club, the Annandale Country Club, the San Gabriel Golf Club, the Victoria Golf Club and the Redlands Country Club. There are also several club championship matches planned for the season. The big event is the Redlands Invitation tournament which is announced for April 1 to 6. Other events in which the local golfers will participate are the Coronado Country Club championship tournament for men and women, January 29 to February 10; the Victoria Golf Club tournament at Riverside, February 8 to 10; the Southern California Golf Association championship at Los Angeles, February 23 to 26; the Annandale invitation tournament, March 12 to 16, and the San Gabriel tournament from April 23 to 27.

The Redlands and Riverside golfers are now playing for a trophy given by the Redlands Club, two teams of ten each, playing on alternate Saturdays on the two links. The local club has a club championship tournament scheduled for March, the trophy having been offered by the directors. Play for the A. Hornby trophy is now on, the final round being scheduled for Saturday of this week. In previous seasons the cup has been won by the following expert golfers: E. D. Robinson, A. S. Anchinclos, L. D. Schaar, C. Ginn, H. M. Paine, W. H. McVay, A. Will and M. S. Phillips. Any person winning the tournament two consecutive years becomes the permanent owner of the cup.

By way of novelty the men of the local club, to the number of thirty, have chosen sides for a New Year's Day game, which is to follow an elaborate New Year's dinner and the losers in the contest are to pay the bill for the dinner. On New Year's Day the Tea Committee of the club, Mrs. Henry Fisher, Mrs. A. C. Denman, Jr., and Mrs. E. S. Graham, will keep open house.

Gipe May Return.

Although Gipe was drafted by Philadelphia Hogan will probably have a chance to get him back if he wants him. The general opinion is that Philadelphia will have no trouble in getting waivers on the Gipe pitcher for he is not good enough for big league company now. He might be with several years' seasoning.

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It is reported that Babe Danzig it to pitch next year for the St. Louis Americans.

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The Quakers already have four games with the following results:

Whittier, 78; Orange High, 35.
Whittier, 38; Hollywood High, 35.
Whittier, 41; Citrus High, 35.
Whittier, 40; Pasadena, 17.
Totals—Whittier, 197; opponents, 104.

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What he can do with Conley is another thing. Conley is very aggressive and will certainly tear in to beat Rivers band next Monday. Rivers has boxing ability to keep him away, but he has not the heart that Conley has. Rivers showed yesterday that he has a little inclined to back away, but he was probably because Welsh was forcing the pace and a light boy is afraid of a heavier one who is not a fancy boxer, but sure of himself.

If training counts for anything Rivers will do for next Monday. Manager Levy says he will make the weight of 125 pounds or will try. He has been going through yesterday's routine for ten days and intends to keep it up until Saturday. Light work will be indulged in Sunday and the entire sparring force will come to the city Sunday evening. Manager Levy stated yesterday that Rivers weighed about 127 pounds and would have to do that figure all this week and would work out the extra two pounds on Sunday so as to make 125 on Monday at 4 o'clock, when he is to weigh in.

WHITTIER BASKET SHOOTERS ACTIVE

Whittier College is preparing to jump back quick into basketball as soon as the holidays are over. Manager Howard has completed a schedule for the first half of the month. Games are to be played as follows: January 3, Pasadena Athletics at Whittier; January 5, Whittier at Occidental; January 6, Occidental Athletic Club at Whittier; January 12, Occidental at Whittier.

The game with Occidental will open the conference season. Howard expects to arrange further games with U.S.C., Los Angeles Y.M.C.A., Long Beach Y.M.C.A.

The Quakers already have won four games with the following results:

Whittier, 78; Orange High, 14.
Whittier, 38; Huntington, 8.
High, 35.
Whittier, 41; Citrus Union High, 8.
Whittier, 40; Pasadena Athletics, 8.
Totals—Whittier, 197; others, 38.

Sepulveda in Right.

Sepulveda of the San Pedro team has been signed as a pitcher for next year by Kittie Brashear of the Vancouver club.

Mr. Wad Went Out to Frankie Conley's Camp Seeking Fame---But Now He's Seeking Slashing Sefton!

DE WITT VAN COURT'S COLUMN.

...rprised yester- ...when I visited Frankie ...at Jack Doyle's train- ... Frankie is rounding in- ..., but looks light. He ... rounds with Freddie ... three rounds with Kid ... surprised everybody ...

...hardly believe my eyes, ...ation of English. Landed often ...ded left-hand. He also ...counter that I have ... before. He actu- ...a blow with his hand in- ...face, and changed things ...ping back to avoid a ... occasions.

...was in the ring with ...time coaching him with ... If Frankie does not ...improvement that he ...day he will give Rivers ... on New Year's Day. ...himself several times and ...is his old crouching posi- ...several hard upper-cuts ... To improve a man like ...his boxing always takes ...

...little fellow is trying hard ..., and in time, will surely ...he keeps it up.

...looks too light. He does ...good to me as he did ...he fought Rivers. He ...as good or better than ...in his life, but his ...rance does not justify ...rivers say of him. Frankie ...his work with his usual ...ding manner, he was full ...ger and wound up with- ...a bit distressed.

...Smith looks much better than he did last week, and is feeling fine.

Ad Wolgast and Tom Jones have sent Hobo Doherty out to look after him and he is getting over his homesickness. Jimmy complained of the climate affecting him, which no doubt is true.

Eastern athletes, on coming out to Southern California for the first time, always complain of the climate making them feel sleepy and tired. This has worked off, to some extent, and he is all confidence.

Jimmy is a member of the horseshoer's lodge in his home town, he was royally received by the lodge in Los Angeles.

He is also a member of the Knights of Columbus, of which he is particularly proud. Jimmy is, personally, a charming little fellow, and he will have the best wishes of all the fight fans on next Monday, when he hooks up with Bob Waugh.

Tom McCarey said yesterday that he was contemplating a match between Dick Hyland and Freddie Welsh and another between Kid Dalton and Frankie Gage.

These would be two good fights. There are also a number of lightweights here that are all looking for something to do, and Tom has a hard time to pick the best.

George Blake has been selected as the preliminary referee and the selection has met with the approval of all the fans. Tom is seriously considering the idea of having three judges to assist the referee in rendering the decisions in the preliminary contests. This should prove a good thing for the sport.

These preliminary contests have caused more dissatisfaction in the past than the main events.

GOSSIP ALONG GASOLINE ROW

BERT SMITH

...Herrick is the world champion ...cycle racing driver. Experts ...East have decided, after ...motion contest, that the local ...of the greatest drivers of ...cars the world has ever ... does not mean that Her- ...greatest track driver, but ...man he has proved that he ...

...of Herrick for the past ...onsonal. He finished with ...first places, forty-five ...and thirty third places. ...in the history of motor ... has such a record been ...Herrick won the Bakersfield ...Santa Monica road race ...Phoenix road race, three of ...automobile events of the ...

...Widrin, the Overland man, ...day for his home in San ...Barney is going down to con- ...delegates who returned from ...roads convention in Phoenix. ...not been in San Diego for ...and he will spend Christ- ...his mother, and during the ...will look over the automo- ...and give the Overland ...many pointers as he will be ...accept. Widrin is sales man- ...local Overland agency and ...a great record already this ...is high man in sales of ... and has made several ...the outlying country in the ...of his handsome line of cars.

...saw such an enthusiastic ...as the delegates to the ...conference at Phoenix. ...something doing every sec- ...Leon T. Shetler was not ...speech he was putting the ...some aspirant for orator- ...who was not speaking to ...Shetler made a consistent ...talk as usual, on the win-

...man of Arizona was one of ...boosters at the convention. ...in the van among the ...who have made the consist- ...good roads in this coun- ...built many miles of road ...When he goes out of office ...leave the good work and will ...to hold the friendship of ...admirers.

...national boulevard is to be ...through lands above the Sal- ...Would it surprise you to learn ...Southern Pacific Railway ...would build a line parallel ...Sandstone boulevard as soon as ...is built? This would mean ...to estates and the farmers ...would at all times be in close touch with the railroad.

P. H. Lyon of the Chanslor & Lyon Motor Supply Company has come forward with a suggestion that an organization be formed during the next few months to plan entertainment for the thousands of visitors who will come to Los Angeles during the time of the Panama-Pacific Fair in 1915.

WANTS OPEN PLAY TO STAY IN NEW RULES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 27.—Dr. H. L. Williams, football coach of the University of Minnesota, will leave for New York today to attend a meeting of the committee on football rules, of which organization he is a member.

Dr. Williams declared he would oppose any attempt that may be made to abolish the forward pass.

He says he is satisfied with the present rules and favors allowing them to remain intact.

OWEN MORAN HERE TO CHASE ELUSIVE TITLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Owen Moran, the English fighter, arrived from England on the Olympic tonight, sounding defiance to everybody in the lightweight division of pugilism.

"I have come here to make a match with Ad Wolgast," said Moran, "and I hope to defeat him or any others who regard themselves as champions. To prove that I am capable, I will take on other men in Wolgast's class and deal with them first, give away weight to some of them, and fight any man at 133 pounds."

DURO CAR FOR SANTA ANA.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association and the Chamber of Commerce tonight closed an agreement with the Amalgamated Motors Company whereby the company will immediately move its factory, formerly the Duro car factory, from Los Angeles to Santa Ana. The civic bodies give the company a site.

Advertising Bargain.

Large circulation at small cost to advertisers. The news sheets of January 1 will accompany the Midwinter Number edition and many thousands of copies will be mailed away with the Midwinters. Classified, 1 cent per word. Splendid opportunity to make attractive offers of residences and country property to prospective newcomers. Copy received until December 31, 1911.

CAMP CONLEY.

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however, await the referee's verdict on New Year's Day.

Conley is now in the perfection of form. He will do little work from now on, except to keep in his present condition. He will box each day lightly with his partners, and take it easy until New Year's arrives.

Conley has figured out the battle on a personal basis between him and Rivers.

"Rivers does not like to fight as well as I do," said Conley, "and he realizes after our last fight that there are twenty rounds of terrific milling ahead of him when he steps into the ring next Monday, and he does not like this, I say, and whether he means to or not, he will be leary of that long, terrific fight ahead of him, and his heart will not be in it. With me it is different. I like to fight, and the distance has no terrors for me. I guess the public will agree with me in that respect. So I believe that I will get Rivers on the jump and step right on top of him without rest until he goes down and out."

Jimmy Giblin, the little ex-blacksmith whom Tom Jones brought out to California to show the natives how lightweights should fight, is training hard and faithfully out at Doyle's, and yesterday came into his own again and received excellent attention from several trainers and rubbers. Giblin had been deserted since the unfortunate episode when Slashing Sefton knocked him out during a sparring bout. He received practically no attention and was not putting himself in the best of condition for his fight with Bobbie Waugh. Yesterday, however, there was a revival of interest among Giblin's trainers and he was put through a nice course of sprouts which included boxing with Louis Reese and handball playing.

Over at the Columbia Athletic Club on Date street, little Bobbie Waugh of Texas is working like a steam engine on a stiff grade to prepare himself for his match with Jimmy Giblin on New Year's Day. Waugh is but eighteen years old and is as diffident as a shy little girl. He is a remarkably built young fellow with this spider legs and the shoulders and chest of a middleweight.

As he lay on his rubbing board with Kid Williams puffing loudly as as he massaged him Waugh talked briefly of his fights. "I have fought about forty battles and won over thirty of them by the knockout. I have never been knocked out and never even been knocked down. I like to fight for the fun that there is in it.

"I think that I will stay in California this winter, as it seems that practically all of the lightweights in the country are coming out here to get together, and I want to be in on it. I think Giblin is a good little fellow, but should not give me much trouble.

"You see, these were made for fighting," and he flexed the magnificent flat and corded muscles which rippled over his shoulders and grinned boyishly. "When a fellow my weight has these ornaments it is a good hunch that he was meant to use them to his best advantage."

Waugh was lying on a rather high rubbing table. He moved over to the end until his waist line was even with the edge. Then with Kid Williams sitting on his legs he bent backward over the edge of the table until his head almost touched the floor and raised himself slowly with his arms folded over his chest to a level with the table. He did this twenty-five times without cessation. If you think that is not so great, try it once yourself. It means that the muscles of the abdomen and of the back over the kidneys are as strong as steel bands and as supple as silk. As he lay stretched out with the muscles straining with the effort of the feat he displayed even a more perfect thorax, chest and shoulders than Joe Rivers. His great throat and neck muscles would have made a sculptor of athletics rave.

Waugh is a hard boy, and comes of a long line of fighters. He is a full cousin to Bob Fitzsimmons, but seldom ever speaks of it, as he thinks it might sound like boasting.

Waugh got his training in Texas by boxing negroes weighing 150 to 170 pounds, as he could find no training partners his own weight who would or could mix it with him.

CHESS NOTES.

Rev. E. B. Adams, chess captain and champion of the Cabrillo Club of San Diego, is visiting relatives in Pasadena, and will appear at the rooms of the Los Angeles Y.M.C.A. in the last days of this week, where he is expected to make things interesting to lovers of the game. One of the features on which the members are counting is a simultaneous session with Mr. Adams in the role of the single player.

In connection with the visit of Mr. Adams, it is interesting to note present disparity in strength of the Yale chess team in comparison with its annual rivals, Harvard, Columbia and Princeton, in quadrangular tournament. Yale's showing this year has been unfortunate; while in the years when Capt. Adams coached and shaped its fortunes the team was practically invincible.

"Our Back East Museum." The big laugh in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

CAMPUS BRIEFS

By Owen R. Bird

Some of the local athletic organizations of this city should get busy at once, if the South is to be represented in the Olympic games at Stockholm in 1912. Southern California is the only section of the country which has not contributed, thus far, toward the general expense fund, and unless they do before the twentieth of January none of the men in the South will even have a chance to compete in the try-out meet next June.

At the present time we have two men in the South who should be on the Olympic team representing the United States in the international games. They are James Donahue and Forrest Smithson. The former has taken second to Fred Thomson in the all around A.A.U. championships twice, while Smithson holds the world's record in the high hurdles at fifteen seconds flat.

Both men have been training for a chance to try out for the United States team, but will not have any chance to get into the try-out meet unless the South puts up its share of expense money, and by so doing get a vote as to what men will be sent from the Pacific Coast.

Wednesday, January 3, the southern intercollegiate fields will once more be the scenes of activity, and we can begin to get a line on the track and field material for the big meets this spring. All the colleges are working out the long distance men through the Christmas holidays, but the work is rather intermittent. When the halls of learning are opened next week, however, the real grind will begin, and all the aspirants will be sent through the mill at record pace.

The first meet that will attract any general attention will be held February 22 on Bovard field. This affair will be the annual championship of the South Pacific branch of the national A.A.U. The meet will be open to any and all teams in the South from college rank to prep school caliber.

The men will have to be registered in the local branch of the A.A.U., and those who expect to enter the meet had best begin to send in their names to the Sporting Desk of The Times, and if not all ready registered in the A.A.U., this matter should be attended to at once.

There are medals up for the three first men in every event, besides a cup for the team winning the most points, then a trophy will be given the athlete who succeeds in making the highest individual score in the meet. No man will be barred from entering as many events as he wants to. The team winning the relay will also be given a banner. So there is enough to work for in the meet, and everybody should be able to come home with a token from the meet.

The work of the athletes of the southern colleges in the A.A.U. meet will be watched with great interest. Since the split in the local conference athletic relations have been rather strained, but if the colleges get into this meet and the going is close and exciting, there will likely be a renewal of the old days.

U.S.C. is going to enter the best team in the university for this meet, as the cards want to carry off the team prize and every other medal that can be had, but if Pomona and Oxy come down, U.S.C. will have a little trouble in corralling every first place.

A horde of students from Stanford and California are in town during the holidays. About 1500 students from Southern California attend the Northern universities and nearly all of them are visiting at home. The Northern "studes" have it "on" the students who attend the Southern colleges in two respects. In the first place, they already have gone through the ordeal of the final examinations as the first semester ends before Christmas instead of the latter part of January. In the second place, their vacation is one week longer than those at Occidental, U.S.C., Pomona and Whittier. Stanford does not reopen until January 10, and the second semester at California does not begin until January 12.

George Baer, who was a prominent athlete at Occidental during his undergraduate days, which ended last June, and who is a member of the athletic coaching force at Hill School, Pa., came West to pass the holidays at his home in Pasadena.

Fred Watkins, formerly of Polytechnic High School, and who will play against Poly New Year's, is among the Southern boys who are making good fast in athletics at Stanford. Although he is only a sophomore, Watkins wears an "S." In his freshman year he stroked the freshman crew that defeated the California "babies." He also played on the Stanford freshman Rugby team that tied California. This year he got into the big intercollegiate game, taking the place at breakaway of Al Frank, who was injured in the second half. Watkins has a good chance to win a seat in the Stanford varsity crew this spring. He is one of the huskiest athletes at Stanford.

Stanford and California have not started off very brilliantly in their Rugby games in British Columbia. The walloping the Cardinals received at the hands of Vancouver and California's failure to do better than tie Victoria were not altogether pleasing to the supporters of the Northern universities. The failure of the invaders to tear things up is easily explained, however. On neither university team are more than four or five varsity players. The annual invasion of Canada by the universities is really a means of rewarding the second team men. The varsity men are invited to make the trip, but most of them usually decline in order that the second team players may have their innings. Probably all of the first team men would be glad to step down and out in order to give the scrubs a chance to show, but it is necessary to have a few first team players in order to bolster up the scrums and backfields. The second team players have the trip coming to them. They work hard throughout the season and get nothing in the way of college honors. The trip to British Columbia is a very enjoyable affair. The Canucks spread themselves in order to show the visitors a good time.

During the holidays Stanford is playing Vancouver and California is hooking up with Victoria. The latter series is being played for the Keith-Cooper international trophy. California really should be playing Vancouver for the cup, but on account of a mix-up in British Columbia the blue-and-gold team was mated with the wrong aggregation. Before the game between Victoria and Vancouver for the British Columbia championship was played, Vancouver invited Stanford to play in a three-game series. Then Vancouver beat Victoria, and California defeated Stanford. According to the terms on which the Keith-Cooper trophy was donated, Vancouver should have played California. But Vancouver preferred to meet Stanford, so the best thing that could be done to settle the Coast championship question was to bring California and Victoria together.

If the Northern universities had sent their strongest teams North the Canucks would have had little chance to win. Vancouver, which defeated Victoria, was easy picking for both of the universities when it invaded California in November.

TO ENTERTAIN S.C.A.C. FOOTBALLERS TONIGHT.

The Southern California Athletic Club will entertain the football team tonight in the new club rooms at No. 116 East Third street at 8 o'clock. The Athletic Committee has a splendid programme for the men who won the great battle with the Navy on Christmas Day.

Later the members of the squad will be given a banquet by the club, and sweaters will be given to the men who got into the game with the sailors. At the present time the team is keeping up light work, as it may be taken to Phoenix to play the Indian institute of that city on New Year's Day. If ever a bunch of athletes deserved a trip, these men do, after the work on Christmas. The showing of the team put the Athletic Club on the local map and the team is good enough to meet any team in the West.

The authorities of the club know this and every effort is being made to make the trip to Arizona, possible; Coach Al Waddell is now in Phoenix, trying to arrange the game with the Indians.

Tonight there will be a good boxing card at the club besides a musical programme. The football men will be the heroes of the meeting and every body is urged to turn out and give them a good time.

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Crown of Years.

ELDERLY AND PROUD OF IT.

To Katie Putnam, Motherly Star of "Mother."

Where She Has Been These Many, Many Years.

And All Things She Found When She Came Back.

BY GRACE KINGSLEY.

"It's not nice of you to suggest to a lady that she's in her anecdotage!" cried Katie Putnam, reaching for her checked apron.

"You wouldn't-er-take a person across that?" I cried.

And she said, Oh, no, that was just to go on and bake pies in.

Fire unquenchable in her Irish eyes, the flitter of a sparrow in her movements, vitality in every action, Katie Putnam yet refuses to be young! Persists she will stick to "mother" parts! One needs something Latin to express it! Maybe it's rara avis.

To grow old is supposed to be nice only if you're wine or Persian rugs or fruit cake. Yet one wonders if acting, too, doesn't gather, with time, an added bouquet—a subtlety like a perfume.

One wonders that particularly watching Katie Putnam in the thousand gentle subtleties of "Mother."

Do you remember the French story of the lover whose mistress demanded his mother's heart as the final test of his love, and when, with it in his hand, he stumbled at her doorway, the heart spoke, saying tenderly, "Didst thou hurt thyself, my son?" That's the spirit of "Mother."

"After all, a mother's eyes are only the blind eyes of the heart."

With a redness of nose which the vanity box couldn't cure, because it was the refined product of the emotions, I sought out "Mother" behind the scenes.

To behold a genuine (how shall one say it graciously? But Katie Putnam herself insists on it,) well, then, a genuine old lady, doing old lady parts, what a relief! You know the usual thing—a callow creature, who thinks the illusion complete in "age lines," white wig, 'kerchief, and hands crossed over a flat little stomach. There's only one thing more painful—an old lady playing "Juliet!"

"First there was Maggie Mitchell, then Lotta, then—Katie Putnam—and since then—many others," she said, with an echo of sadness in her voice.

And where has Katie Putnam been, these eleven years, since the stage knew her as the vivacious soubrette, "Fanchon," "The Marchioness," "Bossy." Ah, that's the touching story of it. Serving she was, perhaps, a rich apprenticeship for her beautiful portrayal of "Mother," taking care of her own beloved invalid mother.

"I've been caring for my mother, an invalid," she said simply.

How could I have ruthlessly touched that chord, I wondered.

"Yes. And she's the pattern of 'Mother' in the play—so wholesome, so brave, so cheerful through everything. You see though mother had her own family, she adopted four other children."

No wonder Katie Putnam, with that inheritance can play "Mother" so inimitably!"

No, she herself had never had any children. I had known it. There was about her that indefinable air of immaturity which belongs to the women who have followed intellectual pursuits, and have never borne children. But she and her husband have adopted a little girl, the daughter of an unhappy sister actress.

Katie Putnam, wiping the make-up from her face, brushed off fifteen years from her age. It was then I told her she should play younger parts. But, crossing the dressing-room with a step like a young girl's and turning her brilliant eyes on me, she said, No, quite firmly—she liked the "mother" parts.

"Well, if you will have it so," I sighed, "please reminisce."

"My first appearance?" she asked. "Eighteen months old, in Madelaine of the Faubourg—No, of course I don't! But they say I didn't weep or in any other way misbehave and break up the performance."

"The first part I can remember, is playing Meenie, the child, in Rip Van Winkle, with Joseph Jefferson. How gentle he always was! One of the sorriest recollections of my life is pulling his hair angrily, because he refused to let me suck candy right through the play!

"My worst stage mishap? Oh, I think, when the moon fell down out of the sky!" Miss Putnam laughed that contagious little Irish laugh of hers. "'Twas in Fanchon the Cricket—I was just a young gerrel—" (that's Katie Putnam for "girl," and she says it charmingly,)—"the moon was just a kerosene lamp before a big reflector, and one night it fell down, and threatened to burn up the theater. They rang down the curtain in a hurry, and I grabbed up a green baize bank and put out the moon!

"Which reminds me—speaking of kerosene lamps—of another funny mishap. My mother was playing the Lady Isabel in East Lynne. A little boy was playing Willie. In the death-bed scene, they placed me behind the bed, flat on the floor, with the book and a kerosene lamp. At the proper time, I spoke his lines. He was very fond of me, and we used to play around back of the scenes. Well, one night, as I was saying his lines—'I feel that I am going to die!' Willie for some unknown cause refused to lie quiet, but popped a bright eye over on me. 'Why do you feel that way?' the Lady Isabel asks. 'I don't know. I just feel it,' I answered in sorrowful tones. Whether I got on Willie's nerves, or what, I don't know, but he whispered: 'I want to git up!' The Lady Isabel spoke her lines—'But I'm not your mother!' 'I want ter git up!' Willie persisted, this time in an alarming stage whisper. 'I want to git up!' he finally squeaked. Right there he died. I can tell you evidently in a fit, for his legs were kicking violently, for mother had seized him up, bed-clothes and all, and had his mouth pressed close to her bosom to stifle his yells. But woe was me! In thus bringing about Willie's premature death, she had unmasked my hiding place, and there was I, lying on my stomach, a book under my elbow, and fully illumined by that nasty kerosene lamp! You may readily imagine that the house laughed, and that when the Lady Isabel mentioned Willie's death-bed in the next act a paralyzing snicker arose from the audience."

"Did the stage seem strange to you, after those eleven years?" I asked the actress, as she lost the last vestige of "Mother" in a smart tailor suit.

"Only a little. Soon everything seemed perfectly natural—as if I had never left. Only the nomenclature of things had changed, so that sometimes I didn't know what they were talking about. For instance, when I was rehearsing this play, Mr. Brady, the stage manager, said: 'Please go upstairs, and learn the mechanics.' Merciful Heavens, I thought, do leading ladies shift scenery now-a-days? But I found it was only a new word for the old word 'business'—a little more comprehensive, perhaps, because it includes all the placing of the performers on the stage, as well as all their acting.

"'Tone,' too, was a new word to me. I knew what it was, of course—every actor knows that—but it was the new word that expressed that an actor takes up the voice tone of the speaker before him. And tempo—that means the rapidity at which a performer speaks."

"Do you think the sumptuous staging and dressing plays which we have now-a-days a hindrance to good acting, as so many people claim?"

"No, indeed. I found," she said, quickly, "that all details, both business and properties, are paid far more attention than formerly, and I realized their value in helping to create the illusion in the actor's mind. Their aid to the audience is in assisting his imagination by awakening his senses. I think," she whispered, "I think, that first night in 'Mother,' after my—after the sorrow and loss from my life when she went—I might have failed, but for the little bits of 'business' I had to attend to—the wrapping of the lamp with the old newspaper, the putting of the sleepy, naughty twins to bed, and the almost imperceptible, but indispensable tiny gestures which go to make up the acting in 'Mother.'"

Then the man who closes the theater walked up and down whistling—to let us know he was still cheerful, though it was long past time to close, and there was no steam-heat in the long, stone hallway. So 'Mother' said, like the gentle mother she is: 'Poor man! 'Let's go.'"

Lillian Turner.

A still-life study of a dancer who's never still; an Empress empress.

MAKES PETS OF WASPS.

Queer Enjoyment of an English Girl Who Tames These Fiery Bugs and Keeps Them in Her Bedroom.

[London Express:] A correspondent visited Miss Black-Hawkins, wasp student at her summer home at Bourne court, St. Mary Bourne, about six miles from Andover.

The Andover neighborhood is well known as a source of excellent honey, but that anyone or else should make pets of wasps is a distinct novelty. Miss Black-Hawkins who is not yet 21 years of age, has a highly interesting story to tell.

"I have been fascinated with the study of natural history for some years past," she said," and it was three summers ago, when I began to watch wasps in captivity under the microscope, that my experiences with these insects begun. I found them charming in all ways, but one of the earliest things that held my attention was their extreme cleanliness.

"I have watched them for hours at their toilet, cleaning themselves with their antennae as a cat does with its paws, and I have been struck by the wonderful mobility of their bodies. Naturally insects kept in captivity for observation purposes had to be fed, and I first found they were amenable to kindly treatment when they literally came to me for food.

"I keep my wasps in my bedroom, in a wooden box with glass sides. Once when I was lying down during the day, a hungry wasp came and settled on my hand. I often feed them by hand, and this particular wasp expected to find some honey. But I hid my hand under a rug, and waited to see what would follow. The insect soon settled on my face and would not leave me till I had fed him."

The wrath of the wasp, the fearful menace of his deep-toned anger, have no terrors for Miss Black-Hawkins. Once she teased a wasp on her hand in order to observe the process of stinging. "He must have plunged his barbed sting deeply in me," she said," for it hurt a good deal and he had considerable trouble in withdrawing it. But I saw all I wanted to see, and it was exceedingly interesting to watch his struggles to release himself. He pulled just as a horse pulls when going uphill, and his legs kept slipping from under him owing to the force he exerted, but he got free at last.

"The greatest number I have kept at one time is fifteen. I think the village people here, especially the children, regard me as something of a magician. Some laugh goodhumoredly at me, but I believe that as a wasp tamer I am held generally in great respect. I had a wasp once that would go to sleep just inside my collar, Wasp and I were perfectly at ease, but on one occasion I forgot my pet and nearly went to pay a visit with it down my neck."

The great secret with wasps, it is believed, is absolute stillness and determination. If you waver or move your head when a wasp is buzzing up your cheek he realizes that you are frightened and acts accordingly. The writer declares that, after great experience, she found only two which she was "utterly unable to tame." All the others were "very easy to manage."

Athlon.

BUT ONE RECORD BROKEN AT INDOORS CONTEST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—One record was broken in a series of well-contested events that wound up the two-night Amateur Athletic Union indoor national championship meet in Madison Square Garden. A few records were equalled, among them those for the 150-yard run and the 600-yard run in the senior events.

W. J. Kramer, of the Long Island Athletic Club, set the mark in the five-mile run at 25m., 12 4-5s., after a grand race in which, during the first two miles, first one and then another of the five leaders set the pace.

At the two-mile mark, however, Kramer took the lead and thereafter nobody could reach him. He won by about 100 yards. The old A.A.U. championship record was 25 m., 19 2-5s., made in 1908 by T. J. Collins, who finished second in tonight's race.

SUMMARIES

The 150-yard run (senior)—Final heat won by A. T. Meyer (Irish American A. C.;) J. M. Rosenberger (Irish-American A. C.,) second; J. J. Archer (Irish American A. C.,) third. Time, 15 4-5s.

One mile run (junior)—Won by G. P. Kimball (Boston A. A.;) E. R. Moran (New York A. C.,) second; J. F. McCabe (Dominican Lyceum,) third. Time, 4m., 29 3-5s.

Throwing fifty-six-pound weight for height (junior)—T. Cabels (Harvard A. A.,) won; 14ft., 6in.; J. Cahill (Irish-American A.C.,) 14ft., 3in.; F. N. Paine (unattached,) third, 14ft.

Standing high jump (senior)—Won by P. Adams (New York A.C.,) 5ft., 1 1-8 in.; P. W. Adams (New York A.C., second, 5ft., ¼in.; L. Goehring (Mohawk A.C.,) third, 4ft., 11 3-4in.

Three-mile walk (senior)—Won by F. M. Kaiser (New York A.C.,) E. Penz (Mohawk A.C.,) second; S. Schartz (Pastime A.C.,) third. Time, 22m., 55 3-5s.

The seventy-five-yard dash (junior)—Final heat won by C. D. Clark (Xavier A.A.;) R. H. Eiland (Xavier A.A.,) second; I. Gluetch (Pastime A.C.,) third. Time, 8s.

The seventy-yard hurdles (junior)—Final heat, won by J. B. Zaydock (Pennsylvania University;) I. J. Lowell (Irish-American A.C.,) second; W. F. Potter (unattached,) third. Time, 9 4-5s.

Hop, step and jump (junior)—Won by A. Almleaf, Swedish-American A.C., 44 feet, 3½ inches; L. L. Rooney, Dominican Lyceum, second; 43 feet, 6½ inches; G. E. Brickley, Harvard A.A., third; 43 feet, 2 inches.

The 440-yard hurdle race (senior)—Won by L. B. Dorland, unattached; D. Valentine, Irish-American A.C., second; I. J. Lovell, Irish-American A.C., third. Time, 59 seconds.

Running high jump (junior)—Won by W. Oler, Jr., New York A.C., 6 feet 1-8 inch; F. Koechlein, St. George A.C., second, 5 feet 11½ inches; A. W. Moffatt, Harvard A.A., third, 5 feet, 10½ inches.

600-yard run (senior)—Won by A. R. Kiviat, I.A.A.C.; O. W. De Grouchy, N.Y.A.C.; second; P. Hirschen, I.A.A.C., third. Time, 1 minute, 14 seconds.

The 60-yard dash (senior)—Won by A. T. Meyer, (I.A.A.C.;) C. B. Clarke, (Xavier A.C.,) second; F. P. O'Hara, (Boston A. A.,) third; time, 6⅘s.

Three standing jumps (senior)—Won by P. W. Adams (N.Y.A.C.,) 33ft. 1in.; L. L. Goehring (Mohawk A.C.,) second, 32ft.; Platt Adams (N. Y.A.C.,) third, 32ft. 9in.

Putting 24-pound shot (senior)—Won by P. McDonald (Irish American A.C.,) 38ft. 1in.; J. R. Kilpatrick (N.Y.A.C.,) second, 32ft. ½in.; H. C. Klages (N.Y.A.C.,) third, 30ft. 6½in.

Five-mile run (senior)—Won by W. J. Kramer (Long Island A.C.;) T. J. Collins (Irish American A.C.,) second; Louis Tewanina (Carlisle Indian School,) third. Time, 25min. 12 4-5s. (New A.A.U. championship record; old record, 25min. 19 2-5s, made by T. J. Collins in 1908.)

No Pay When Wife Died.

[Philadelphia Record:] Benjamin Praskin built up a prosperous business under the workings of his personal slogan, "Don't pay for what you don't get." He was before Justice Marks in the New York Municipal Court to defend a suit brought by the executrix of a surgeon who performed a masterly but unsuccessful operation on Mrs. Praskin, in 1910.

When he learned, after the operation, that his wife had died, Praskin stopped payment on the check for $300 he had made out to the order of Dr. Charles Jewett.

The jury evidently thought Praskin's reasoning sound, for they returned a verdict in his favor, although Justice Marks had told them the law provided that the practioner be paid regardless of consequences to the patient.

The Justice reproved the jury for disobeying his instructions, set aside the verdict and announced that he would try the case again.

Wait a Little.

[St. Paul Dispatch.] A well-known Scottish architect was traveling in Palestine recently when news reached him of an addition to his family circle. The happy father immediately provided himself with some water from the Jordan to carry home for the christening of the infant, and returned to Scotland.

On the Sunday appointed for the ceremony he duly presented himself at the church and sought out the beadle in order to hand over the precious water to his care. He pulled the flask from his pocket, but the beadle held up a warning hand, and came nearer to whisper:

"No the noo, sir; no the noo. Maybe after the kirk's oot."

Wild Parrots for Berlin.

[Dundee Advertiser:] In addition to the sparrows, pigeons and other birds usually seen in a great city, Berlin has now a colony of wild parrots. Since the early months of the year a small group of common gray parrots has been observed in the street of the extreme northern quarter of the town, where there is still a good deal of unbuilt land and garden vegetation, and have been a constant source of interest to observant nature lovers. The little strangers to the number of twelve or sixteen, which are supposed to have escaped from the cages of some bird fancier, have successfully foraged for themselves all through the summer months, and if they succeed in overcoming the rigors of the winter and reach the brooding season there seems some possibility that Berlin will in a year or two have a regular population of wild parrots in its streets.

Population of Nova Scotia.

[Consular Reports:] According to the census returns just given out, Nova Scotia's population has increased only 2,273 in the last ten years. This may be slightly increased when the returns for the town of Amherst are tabulated. Eight of the principal towns in the province in industrial centers have made substantial gains, an aggregate of 28,033, which shows plainly how the rural districts have lost. The city of Halifax now has 46,081, as against 40,332 in 1901, or a gain of 5349. Sydney gains 7708 and Glace Bay 9616. The population of the latter was only 4945 in 1901.

Moving Up.

PLAYGOERS AT POLY HIGH.

INVITED TO USE THE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM.

"Intercollegiate Vaudeville" to Be Given One Week from Saturday Afternoon, With Many Schools Participating—Many Interesting Plans Made.

The social center of Polytechnic High School has decided to recognize the movement which has sprung up all over the country for the bringing out of the higher class of modern plays, and to that end has invited the Playgoers' Society to use the Auditorium and equipment of the school for its productions, which it has been giving from time to time at Cumnock Hall and the Walker Theater.

The Playgoers' Society accepted with alacrity, and will celebrate its acquisition of a permanent home with a sort of dramatic love-feast, at which all the similar and kindred organizations of the city will be invited to participate. This will be held Saturday afternoon, January 6, and will be called an "Intercollegiate Vaudeville." It will be vaudeville, however, only in the academic sense, and will partake of none of the characteristics of the Orpheum. One-act plays, and scenes from dramas will be given by various organizations, including the Shakespeare Club of the University of Southern California, Cumnock School, the Egan School, the Playgoers' Society, and possibly Berkeley and Stanford universities will be represented also. An effort is being made to secure the High School orchestras for the entr' acte music, and several other innovations are being arranged for the waits between the acts.

It will be seen at once that, for length of programme, this "get together" affair will vie with the annual benefit of the Theatrical Managers Association, which begins about noon and ends sometime. But Miss Willamene Wilkes, the indefatigable director of the Playgoers' Society, is anxious to have it understood that that organization has no selfish motive in its labors in behalf of the better sort of plays, and desires to share the good fortune of the Playgoers in acquiring its home, with all other bodies having similar aims.

"This simply means that our work will now become permanent," says Miss Wilkes. "We have just been struggling along, and the expense has really been more than we could afford. When Miss Kate Smith came to me and made this generous offer, it really took my breath away. It was something we had not even hoped for, as it absolutely assures our future. We can now reduce our admission charge to the very minimum and so spread broadcast the results at which we are aiming.

"Following the Intercollegiate Vaudeville, of which I expect great things, we will give several plays which we have been rehearsing for some time. We will be glad to have the co-operation of the other societies and schools, such as the Egan School which has taken up the Irish dramatists recently, and there will be further breaks in our operations."

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[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] BLOCK ISLAND (R. I.) Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the wind blowing a fifty-mile gale from the northwest and the seas high, the four-masted schooner Mary Adeline Randall, Capt. Henry Croucher, with a crew of ten men, attempted to round Point Judith in Block Island Sound before dawn this morning. In the darkness the schooner was driven too close to the point. There she was rolled upon a jagged rock and a hole torn in her stern. She began taking water fast. Capt. Croucher headed for the west bank of Block Island.

...e daylight came three life-saving crews had arrived. In the first ... of day they saw the spars of the sunken schooner, and lashed to ... were eleven men.

LIFEBOAT UPSET.

...eboat was launched after great ... and was got within 100 ... of the sunken vessel when ...ame a high sea, which turned it over. The lifesavers were ...

...News in Three ... CONDENSED ...

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...Tangle. ...to Persia. ...Along Coast. ...ngs Along the Pacific Slope. ...h of News from the Middle West. ...ness and Trade. ...e Weather; Markets. ...Angeles County Correspondence. ...ws from Below Tehachapi's Top. ...e City in Brief; Vital Record. ...

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...Knocked Out. ...Football News. ...Sporting Gossip. ...Johnson's Stage Page.

SUMMARY.

...SKY. Cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., ...west; velocity 5 miles. Thermometer, ...8 deg.; lowest, 40 deg. Forecast: ...for Friday, with light southwest wind. ...Complete weather report see page 13.

...CITY. Postoffice Inspector Gray ...s compilation of evidence against ...ge Grant Lyman, now in jail on Mc... charge, yesterday, and it shows that ...has swindled enough persons to con... a good-sized city.

...grand jury investigation of ...ting contracts apparently is turn... ...(to Lake Bay (Wash.) colony of ... and may result in the finding of ... and Schmidt.

...-year-old boy who had been scalded ...terrible agonies at the Receiving ...night for ten minutes because ... was no one on hand to attend to his ...

...hundred business and professional ...of Iowa, celebrated the sixty-... of the admission of the ... the Union at the Westminster last ...

...who was assaulted by another while ...ing a pencil and received an ... the left eye he was using, has ... against the person who struck ...

...who was identified by a pawn... as one of two men who had robbed the ... was released yesterday by a police ... His alleged pal was held to the ... Court.

...to all precedent, the new City ... will not appoint committeemen in ... It will act in open meeting.

...a long illness an Angeleno passed ... yesterday who had been a prominent ... in the western railroad world, and in ...ning of this section for the past ...

...was begun in the Superior Court ... to break the will of a Whittier ... because he left practically all of ... to a small adopted daughter in-... to his own children.

...nutes of a West Temple street ... were in danger of suffocation ... yesterday when a fire ... on the ground floor destroyed ...

...CALIFORNIA. A young ... in a fit of despondency ended ... by hanging herself to a rafter. ... discovered by a neighbor ser... after life was extinct. ... victim of a shooting affair at ... Brothers died last night from his ... Jesse Tirgue, who the police assert ... which have already caused ... has been arrested on a charge ...

...who introduces himself as Fred ... been distributing worthless checks ... merchants of Anaheim. His ... an oil heater and present a ... sufficient size to get consid... changes. Police are active, but no ...

...of a gang of sixteen desperadoes ... been operating in Imperial county ... until yesterday and taken to the ... at El Centro. They are charged ... a store at Coyote Wells.

...Yesterday enjoyed the thrilling ... of a snowstorm, and the town was ...

...gathered after 2 a.m. appears in ...